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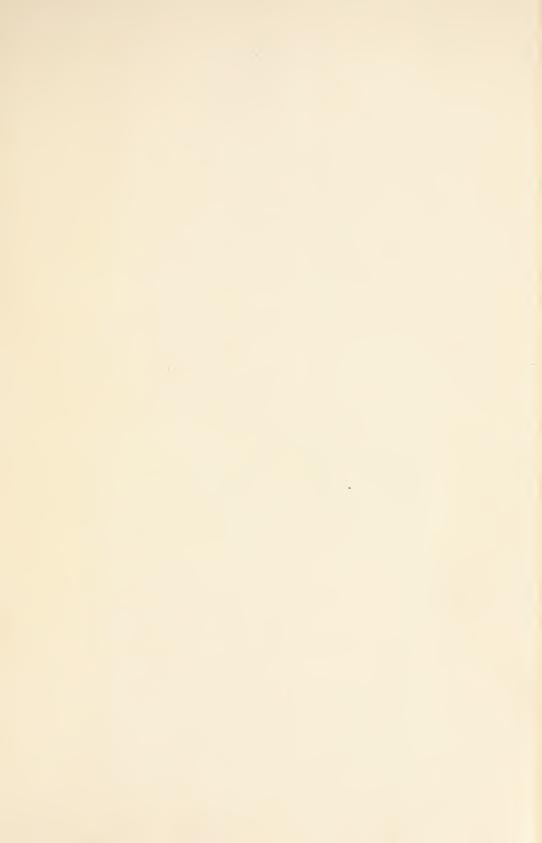
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In presenting this history of the experiences of the Salem, Beverly, Danvers and Marblehead Companies of the Eighth Mass. U. S. V., in the Spanish-American war, the writer is complying with the wishes of hundreds who saw service, and many others who desired a record of Greater Salem's participation in the war.

The records of the men were compiled after great labor and considerable expense, and will be found to be correct in every detail.

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OR TWO years previous to the breaking out of the Spanish-American war, certain residents of the Isle of Cuba, about 30,000 in number, had been engaged in a revolution against the mother country of Spain, in an endeavor to secure their independence.

War had been raging intermittently on the island for years, and although thousands of Spanish soldiers had been sent to Cuba, the insurgents, as those who were up in arms against the government were called, had almost invariably

won the battles, or had run away in the face of superior numbers and saved themselves a defeat.

This state of things had so enraged the Spanish that the war was carried on with terrible cruelty by them. Cuban soldiers, when caught, were shot under the pretence of being spies, while old women, men and children, who were lured to the cities by the Spaniards by promises of being kept in safety, were starved and ill treated so that they died by the hundreds.

During this time the United States had observed strict neutrality, although from time to time efforts had been made by members of Congress to have the insurgents recognized as belligerents, or the Cuban government recognized, but all were unsuccessful.

During this period the United States had expended considerable money in maintaining a fleet of cruisers as patrols on the southern coast to prevent American ships from landing arms or supplies on the island to help the insurgents—filibustering, it was called. In the meantime American citizens had been insulted and shamefully treated in Cuba. Some were imprisoned and subjected to cruel indignities by Spanish officials. Consul-General FitzHugh Lee was the representative of the United States on the island.

Chief among the Spanish generals was Gen. Weyler, termed the "butcher" because of his cruelties. On the Cuban side was Gen. Macco, who was led into ambush and killed through the treachery of one of his staff. He was succeeded by Gen. Gomez, who proved a worthy successor.

Gen. Blanco succeeded Gen. Weyler in command of the Spanish forces Oct. 19, 1897. He was less cruel, though a blusterer. With his imaginative mind and his typewriter, his army used to score telling victories which made the people of Spain rejoice.

In the United States a feeling of sympathy for the struggling Cubans arose and grew in strength until Cuban sympathizers were no longer few.

The government, during the month of January, 1898, dispatched the U. S. S. Maine to Havana harbor to protect American citizens and their interests. She arrived Jan. 25 and was assigned a mooring place in the harbor. The men were not allowed much shore liberty, owing to the intense hatred toward Americans.

U. S. S. Maine Destroyed.

Such was the condition of affairs when Salem, in company with the rest of the world, received tidings on Feb. 16 to the effect that the Maine had been destroyed by being blown up the previous night, and that two officers and 257 men had lost their lives.

Talk of war followed on every side. With one accord the people blamed the Kingdom of Spain for the affair.

Salem had a vital interest in the destruction of the Maine. On board that warship was one of her sons, Francis D. Cabill, and he, with the rest of the crew, had gone up with the ship. He was frightfully scalded and injured in the explosion, but more fortunate than most of them, he fell into the waters of the harbor, was picked up and carried to a hospital, where he suffered for weeks before being able to come to his home.

Feb. 17, two days after the loss of the Maine, the United State appointed a naval board of inquiry, and while the citizens patiently awaited the report, trying to remain calm, war clouds

were gathering in all directions, and long before March 21, when the report of the board was presented to Congress, the people prepared for the conflict.

Many Salemites, falling victims to the war fever, went to Gloucester and enlisted at the newly-opened recruiting office for the navy. On March 10, while the excitement was at its height, Co. H, Eighth Regiment, Capt. Walter P. Nichols, was called to arms by its commander, by means of the alarm list. It was a test call, to see how quickly the company could respond in case it was needed. The test was eminently satisfactory, and showed that Salem's citizen soldiery was ready for the serious business of real war.

The citizens, not knowing what was up, soon heard rumors that war had been declared and that Co. H had been ordered to the front. An immense crowd immediately surrounded the armory, and a number of pathetic scenes, so common upon the departure of troops for war, were enacted before the crowd learned that the alarm was not a genuine one.

Massachusetts' Prompt Action.

Massachusetts, always in the front in time of need, was one of the first states to move in the matter of a war appropriation, and early had \$50,000 placed at Gov. Wolcott's disposal by the legislature, but half an hour being consumed from the time the bill was introduced, until it was signed. A state advisory board of military officers was formed, and Lieut. Col. Samuel A. Johnson, commander of the Second Corps Cadets, was one of the number chosen.

Day by day carloads of U. S. marines passed through Salem, bound for the North Atlantic squadron at Hampton Roads. Flag raisings became general in the city, and patriotism ran high. Hardly a night passed but "Old Glory" was flung to the breeze from many staffs. In several factories men who refused to contribute toward the expense of a flag barely escaped being mobbed. About midnight, April 26, Francis D. Cahill, the Salemite who had been injured in the Maine explosion, arrived home unexpectedly. A few who had heard that he might come were on hand to greet him, and in a flag-bedecked coach he was driven to his home. The following day hundreds flocked to his house to grasp his hand and wish him a speedy recovery.

Matters were lively at the armories of the Eighth Regiment and Salem Cadets. The services of the Eighth Regiment and

Second Corps Cadets had been tendered early, and all sorts of stories were in circulation regarding future movements. April 23, orders were received by company commanders of the Eighth Regiment to recruit their companies to seventy-four men each, and April 28 the officers of the regiment were called into conference at the State House, Boston, where they were officially notified that the regiment had been selected as one of the four to represent the state.

Recruiting Commences.

As soon as the officers arrived home, bulletins were placed about the city asking for recruits. Recruiting offices were opened the next day in the Franklin building, and over 300 men were turned away after the rolls had been filled. At Cadet armory as well, surgeons were busy examining men, who were later enrolled.

April 30, the Eighth Regiment received orders to report at camp at South Framingham May 5. This added to the excitement, and the armory of Co. H became alive with men learning "fours right," "fours left" and other military movements.

The time passed all too quickly, and soon the appointed day arrived, and the soldier boys of Salem were away to "Camp Dewey," as the camp had been named immediately upon the receipt of the news of Dewey's marvellous victory in Manila bay on May 1.

Departure of Company H.

May 5, 1898, will linger long in the memory of citizens of Salem. Such a day had not been seen since the departure of the three months men in '61 in answer to the call of President Lincoln for 75,000 troops to put down the rebellion. It will be many years before Salem will see another such day. Business was suspended and sessions of the schools omitted. Essex street was one mass of humanity. The street was alive with flags. The old, the young and middle-aged carried miniature representations of "Old Glory," and from every staff the Stars and Stripes floated in the breeze. The fire alarm had sounded the agreed signal, and the whole city knew the troops were about to depart.

Windows were filled with cheering groups, while every roof was loaded with a shouting human freight. Guns were discharged from many roof-tops, while megaphones, board clappers and every variety of cheer known, contributed to the grand hurrah.

Up Essex street the procession came and continued its triumphant march through North, down Federal, down Washington, past City Hall, where Mayor David P. Waters and members of the city government reviewed it, to the depot, where special cars were awaiting the company.

Such a crowd as gathered in the vicinity of the depot was never known in Salem before. It is estimated that 20,000 people were packed into Washington street, from Dodge street to Town House square, and everyone was shouting and cheering. The crowd remained until the last car of the train, which was bearing Co. H away, had passed from sight around the curve at Castle Hill.

Such an outburst of enthusiasm had not been seen in the city since the days of '61-'65. Every organization in the parade was cheered, but of course the lion's share went to Co. H, although Francis D. Cahill, Salem's survivor of the Maine explosion, came in a close second.

The make-up of the parade was as follows: Platoon of police, City Marshal John W. Hart commanding; Salem Cadet band, Jean M. Missud leader; Second Corps Cadets, M. V. M., three companies, Maj. Walter F. Peck commanding; Salem Drum corps, Herbert Morrill leader; Phil H. Sheridan Post 34, G. A. R., Thomas E. Bowen commanding; Naval Veterans, Capt. William M. Swasey commanding; Salem Letter Carriers and Postal Clerks, J. Frank Whipple commanding; Salem Light Infantry Veteran association, Maj. William A. Hill commanding, as personal escort to Co. H, Eighth Regiment, M.V.M., Capt. Walter P. Nichols commanding; Salem Veteran Firemen's Association Drum corps; Salem Veteran Firemen's association, Michael W. Cummings commanding; barouche containing Francis D. Cahill, Salem's survivor of the Maine explosion, and Francis Harrington, his nephew.

After the departure of Co. H the other organizations marched back to quarters and were dismissed.

Beverly Bids Good Bye to Company E.

In Beverly the citizens went wild with excitement and Co. E, Eighth Regiment, M. V. M., Capt. Frederick W. Stopford commanding, was escorted to the depot by the Beverly Cadet band; Posts 89 and 168 of the G. A. R.; a cavalcade of citizens; the fire department and 1,000 school children. Business was suspended throughout the city. A feature of the demonstration was the

singing of "America" by 12,000 people gathered in Depot square as the train bearing the company rolled out.

The Danvers Demonstration.

The demonstration attending the departure of Co. K, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V., Capt. A. Preston Chase commanding, at Danvers, exceeded anything since the days of the Civil war. A squadron of cavalry commanded by Harry Bryant; Post 90, G. A. R.; High School Cadets and 500 business men and citizens, together with 500 school children, escorted the company to the depot and gave three cheers as the train pulled out.

Company C Gets Royal Send-Off.

At Marblehead, Co. C, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V., commanded by Capt. Frank Tucker, was escorted to the depot and bidden God-speed by the Excelsior Drum corps; Post 82, G. A. R, and a delegation of citizens. A similar outburst of enthusiasm as was enacted in other places occurred in this town. A feature of the departure was the farewell address of Selectmen Sparhawk and Broughton, from the steps of Old Town hall.

Eighth Regiment Prepared.

Long before the call for troops was issued, the officers of the Eighth Regiment, M. V. M., had talked over the matter and decided that the call would be forthcoming, and when it did come were, in a measure, prepared for it.

War was declared April 21, 1898, and on April 23 a regimental order was issued to the company's commanders to recruit their commands to 74 men, at that time considered as war strength, being an addition of 13 men over the militia quota.

April 28, the commanders of companies were ordered to Boston for a conference and it was at this time that the Eighth, in company with three sister organizations, was selected for active service.

Upon returning to their respective stations, the officers of the 12 companies in the Eighth Regiment sent out a call for volunteers, it having been decided that militiamen as well as recruits, must sign



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the enlistment roll. A ready response was met in most cases and in some places, including Salem, more men desired to enlist than could be accepted. The best appearing ones were therefore chosen.

Off For Camp Dewey.

April 30 orders were received to mobilize at Camp Dewey, South Framingham, on May 5, and on that date the commands departed from their home stations, amid scenes which will linger in the memory of every member of the companies until his dying day.

The regiment rendezvoused at Boston, the regimental line being formed on Causeway street, the "rookies," as the ununiformed men of each company were termed, being formed on the left flank, each detachment in command of a sergeant. The regiment tendered a marching salute to Gov. Wolcott as it passed the State House on the way to the cars of the Boston & Albany railroad, which were boarded in the rear of Mechanics building. South Framingham was reached about 11.45 o'clock and the command was quickly upon the march for the camp ground.

A fine appearance was made by the regiment as it marched upon the field, and many compliments were heard, for it was the only command to come to camp with mounted field and staff.

The Second and Ninth Regiments were already under canvas and the Eighth was assigned the third place upon the brigade line. The regiment was hardly upon the field, before Adjt. Edward H. Eldredge was detailed as assistant adjutant general of the brigade, which was commanded by Col. E. P. Clark, Second Regiment.

The Regiment's Career, Day by Day.

May 6.—The regiment is snugly housed under a canvas. The Sixth Regiment arrived today, making four regiments now quartered upon the field. Physical examinations of officers begun, and Capt. Frank Tucker, First Lieut. Edgar A. Marshall and Second Lieut. Frank B. Denning, all of Co. C, Marblehead, were rejected. This made a considerable commotion in Co. C, and many men thought of returning home, as the command has not been mustered into the U. S. service. Wise counsel prevailed and a telegram was sent the selectmen, asking their advice. Lieut. Denning made a second appearance before the examining board and succeeded in passing.

May 7.—Maj. Dudley B. Purbeck of Salem was rejected by the medical examining board, and in company with Capt. Tucker and Lieut. Marshall left for home. Selectmen Broughton, Sparhawk and Tutt of Marblehead visited camp, held a conference with Col. Pew and advised the Marblehead boys to remain, which advice was accepted. Lieut. Denning will be promoted to captain and assigned to Co. C. The examination of enlisted men is commenced. Many of them have been rejected, and officers of the companies will return home for men to fill the vacancies.

May 8.—First Sunday in camp. Very cold and windy. Chaplain Sanders preached his first sermon to the men, talking upon the declaration of war and the causes which led up to it. The service was held in the mess hall. Examination of enlisted men was continued all day.

May 10.—Cos. B, Amesbury; E, Beverly; F, Haverhill; G, Gloucester; L, Lawrence, and M, Somerville, are mustered into the United States service for two years, unless sooner discharged.

May 11.—Cos. A, Newburyport; D, Lynn; C, Marblehead; H, Salem; I, Lynn, and K, Danvers, are mustered into the United States service. Adjt. Eldredge is mustered as major, vice Purbeck, who failed to pass the examining board.

The Roster of the Regiment.

As mustered into the service, the roster of the Eighth is as follows:

Col. William A. Pew, Jr., Salem.

Licut. Col. Edwin W. M. Bailey, Amesbury.

Majors, William Stopford, Beverly; Frank A. Graves, Marblehead; Edward H. Eldredge, Boston.

Adjutant, Lieut. Thomas H. Barroll, Boston.

Quartermaster, Lieut. Charles F. Wonson, Gloucester.

Surgeon, Maj. William Cogswell, Salem.

Assistant Surgeons, Lieut. Thomas L. Jenkins, Topsfield; Lieut. Frank P. T. Logan, Gloucester.

Chaplain, Rev. George D. Sanders, Gloucester.

Co. A, Newburyport.—Capt. Alexander G. Perkins; First Lieut. George W. Langdon; Second Lieut. George H. Dow.

Co. B, Amesbury.—Capt. Horace S. Bean; First Lieut. John M. Pettingill; Second Lieut. Frank Stinson.

Co. C, Marblehead. — Capt. Frank B. Denning; First Lieut. Linville H. Wardwell; Second Lieut. Frederic P. Smith.

Co. D, Lynn.—Capt. Charles T. Hilliker; First Lieut. Thos. J. Coby; Second Lieut. William F. Young.

Co. E, Beverly. — Capt. Frederick W. Stopford; First Lieut. Charles H. Farnham; Second Lieut. Francisco A. De Sousa.

Co. F, Haverhill.—Capt. William C. Dow; First Lieut. Per Justus W. Swanberg; Second Lieut. David E. Jewell.

Co. C, Gloucester. — Capt. Edward J. Horton; First Lieut. Charles M. McIsaac; Second Lieut. James C. Nutt.

Co. H, Salem. — Capt. Walter P. Nichols; First Lieut. George N. Jewett; Second Lieut. Augustus G. Reynolds.

Co. I, Lynn.—Capt. John E. Williams; First. Lieut. Frank H. Downey; Second Lieut. William H. Perry.

Co. K, Danvers—Capt. A. Preston Chase; First Lieut. Henry W. French; Second Lieut. Stephen N. Bond.

Co. L, Lawrence. — Capt. James Forbes; First Lieut. James H. Creig; Second Lieut. Roland H. Sherman.

Co. M, Somerville.—Capt. Herbert W. Whitten; First Lieut. George I. Canfield; Second Lieut. Frederick W. Pierce.

May 12.—The principal event today was the departure of the Second Regiment for Tampa, Fla. The sight of the regiment leaving for the seat of war was one long to be remembered. Hundreds of friends were present to bid farewell to the men. Many an Eighth boy wishes he was also on the move.

May 14.—Orders are expected for the regiment to move south at any minute, and consequently all surplus baggage is being stored. Gov. Wolcott visited camp today and presented the commissions to the officers, also reviewing the regiment. The command, after review, formed three sides of a square, the governor and party forming the fourth.

Gov. Wolcott's Address.

Gov. Wolcott then stepped to the front and spoke as follows:

"Men of Essex and Middlesex:—Two days ago your parting cheers made music in the ears of your comrades of the Second Regiment as they left the commonwealth in the high service of the United States of America. Today you obey the same summons, and are as ready as they were to endure hardship and suffering in the same high cause. You are, men of Massachusetts, engaged in a just and righteous cause.

"I greatly mis-read the heart of this great nation if the historian of the future shall not record that this war was entered upon by a high and noble nation who had endured as long as people could endure the sighs and groans of a neighboring population because of the tyranny of a nation of the old world.

"It is to set free the oppressed and to bind up their wounds that you now enter the service of the United States. You will find your-

selves shoulder to shoulder with men of other states.

"See to it that you shall show that men of Massachusetts, whenever valor demands sacrifice or duty calls for highest discipline; that you men of Massachusetts are second to the sons of no other commonwealth and no other state in the United States of America.

"You leave with the prayers and confidence of the people of this Commonwealth. Officially, as Governor of Massachusetts, I bid you God speed, and may the God of battles bring you victory and honorable peace. It is now my high privilege to hand you the commissions upon which you enter the service of the United States."

Gov. Wolcott then called the roll, beginning with Col. Pew, and as each officer stepped forward, handed him his commission. At the conclusion he said: "Col. Pew. you have a regiment worthy of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the service of the United States." The command was then dismissed.

May 15.—Word having reached Essex County that the Eighth would be upon the move tomorrow, the camp was alive with people from that section of the state, all anxious to get a farewell glimpse of the regiment.

Off For Chickamauga.

May 16.—Camp was struck shortly after dinner, and after passing in review before Gov. Wolcott and a few members of his staff, the regiment marched to South Framingham station and boarded the train, bound for Chickamauga Park, Ga. In leaving camp the Ninth and Sixth Regiments gave the boys quite a send-off, although the members of the former regiment were rather displeased to think that the Eighth should leave before they did. The regimental train was in three sections, each battalion traveling separately. Each section had eleven cars, two for each company, one for baggage, one for guard quarters, and a Wagner sleeper for the officers.

The first section pulled out at 6 o'clock, and the other two followed, the last leaving South Framingham about 7.45 o'clock. There were demonstrations and big crowds at all the stations.

May 17.—The men of the regiment were awakened early this morning by a demonstration in Pittsfield. The whole city turned out, and there was a display of fireworks, salutes were fired and a brass band played patriotic airs. We arrived at Jersey City in the forenoon. The train was saluted by forty engine whistles, which were cut loose near the roundhouse. Philadelphia was reached at 2.30 o'clock, Baltimore a little later, and we were on the outskirts of Washington shortly after 7 o'clock in the evening.

May 18.—The men of the Third Battalion bathed in the creek at Basic City, Va., where the train stopped an hour. The whole battalion went in swimming. Demonstrations were met all along the line today. Beuna Vista, Va., had a brass band at the depot, while at Paluski a salute was fired by a battery. When the train went through Salem, Va., the Co. H boys gave three cheers for the place. It had rather a decayed look and did not seem like a lively place.

Arrival at Chickamauga.

May 19.—We arrived in Citico freight yard, just outside Chattanooga, Tenn., at 5 o'clock this morning. The sections were left in the freight yard all day, with the hot sun pouring down, making life anything but comfortable to the boys, who were wearing winter underclothing. Many other regiments were arriving and were all jumbled in together. Alongside of us was the Twelfth New York Regiment. Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge could be seen in the distance. We pulled out of the freight yard at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and at a snail's pace drew near Chickamauga Park. We arrived at Battlefield station, the entrance to the park, about 10 o'clock, where we disembarked and marched to Lytle Hill and bivouacked for the night.

May 20.—We slept cold last night, but were up early and marched two miles through the hot sun to a camp site on the Alexander road, which we found after considerable difficulty. We immediately pitched camp. This camp was situated in a grove of pine trees and the grove was ankle deep with vines, dead boughs and other debris. The regiment was brigaded with the Twelfth New York, Col. Leonard, and the Twenty-First Kansas, Col. Fitch, and we were in the Second Brigade, Third Division, First Army Corps. Col. Pew being the senior officer, was detailed as acting Brigadier General. The camp was named, "Camp George

H. Thomas," in honor of the Union General of that name, who commanded the Union forces at the battle of Chickamauga during the Civil War.

May 23.—By this time we had the camp comfortably settled. The regiment held a regimental parade for the benefit of the Twenty-First Kansas Regiment.

May 24.—Review of the Eighth Massachusetts and Twelfth New York Regiments before Gen. Bates, division commander. The Twenty-First Kansas men, being without equipments, were excused.

First Death in Regiment.

May 28.—First death in the regiment. Private Herbert O. Burnham, Co. D, Lynn, died of pneumonia contracted at South Framingham.

May 29.—Death again invades the ranks of the regiment. Private Clarence L. Bartol, Co. C, Marblehead, died of heart disease during the night.

May 31.—Division review by Inspector-General Breckinridge and General Snyder, division commander. First drill in the bush-whacking tactics. Effigies of Weyler and Blanco burned in camp. Orders received to recruit the companies to 106 men, war strength.

June 1.—First sham battle, participated in by the whole division. Major Slocum, Assistant Inspector-General, inspected the regiment. Death of Corporal Clarence R. Stewart, Co. M, Somerville, of pneumonia contracted at South Framingham.

June 6.—The news arrived that the state has decided to grant \$7 per month to each enlisted man while in the service. Men were selected to go home on recruiting service; three commissioned officers, Major William Stopford of the First Battalion; Captain Herbert W. Whitten, Co. M, Second Battalion, and Lieut. Henry W. French. Co. K, Third Battalion, together with one enlisted man from each company. The local men were Quartermaster-Sergt. Waldo P. Ballard, Co. C; Corp. Alexander Robertson, Co. E; Sergt. Edgar J. Whelpley, Co. H; Quartermaster-Sergt. John J. Collins, Co. K.

June 13.—Paymaster James C. Barr, Eighth Regiment, M. V. M., arrived in camp with \$17,500 state pay for the duty of the regiment performed while at South Framingham.

June 11.—Five men were found asleep at their posts last night. They were Privates Poor and Greenaway of Co. A, Newburyport;

Private French, Co. I, Lynn, Private Merrill, Co. M, Somerville, and Private Lanctot, Co. E, Beverly. All were placed under arrest. Paying the state money to the regiment commenced.

June 17.—Bunker Hill day was duly celebrated in the evening with red fire, fireworks and a concert by the drum corps.

June 20.—Courtmartial to try the men found asleep at their posts convened. Paymaster Barr completed his work.

June 23.—Capt. Nichols left for home today, having tendered his resignation. Presented with a handsome sword by the men of his company.

"Rookies" Begin To Arrive.

June 25.—First delegations of "rookies," as the men who enlisted under the second call were termed, arrived in camp.

June 26.—Camp thrown into a fever of excitement by orders to move. The regiment was transferred to the First Brigade, First Division of the First Corps and brigaded with the Second Wisconsin and Fifth Illinois Regiments, with Brigadier-General Ernst as brigade commander and Gen. James H. Wilson as division commander.

June 27.—Col. Pew relieved as brigade commander and Gen. Waties assumed command. Orders to move and regarding the transfer of the regiment revoked, much to the disgust of the men.

June 28.—Capt. Walter P. Nichols, Co. H, discharged.

June 29. — Announcement made that Capt. Jacob C. R. Peabody was to be the new commander of Co. H, vice Nichols, resigned. Col. Pew relieved as acting brigade commander.

July 1.—"Rookies" for Co. H, Salem, and Co. K, Danvers, arrived in camp, being the first detachment for these companies. General handshaking and swapping of news among the men. A detachment of 24 men from the regiment transferred to the U. S. Hospital Corps.

July 3.—Congressman William H. Moody arrived in camp and addressed the men at Sunday service.

July 4.—Very quiet in camp. Programme of sports arranged seriously disarranged by the arrival of the U. S. paymaster, who paid out \$45,000 to the regiment. Congressman Moody addressed the men in the afternoon. The regiment gathered on the left flank, forming three sides of a square, the drum corps and officers forming the fourth. Congressman Moody stepped to the centre and gave a thrilling and patriotic oration. At the conclusion the color bearers

stepped forward. One stood on either side of Mr. Moody, and Col. Pew draped the colors over them, and the drum corps played "The Star Spangled Banner." In the evening, the nation's birthday and the victory of Sampson's fleet, news of which had arrived, were duly celebrated with a bonfire, red fire and fireworks. News arrived that Privates Poor, Greenaway, Paine and French had been found guilty of sleeping at their post, while Private Lanctot was acquitted.

July 5.—Regiment broke camp and packed everything, moving out three miles and thence back to the old spot and pitched camp

again; gone just 2 hours and 40 minutes.

July 8.—Capt. Jacob C. R. Peabody, new commander of Co. II, arrived and was mustered in.

July 11.—Assistant Surgeon Thomas L. Jenkins of Topsfield

resigned and was discharged.

July 12.—Second batch of "rookies" for Cos. H and K arrived. A delegation of Christian Endeavor delegates from Massachusetts, who had been to the convention at Nashville, Tenn., visited the camp, under the charge of Dr. James L. Hill of Salem.

News of Surrender of Santiago.

July 14.—Hot time in the evening when the news of the surrender of Santiago arrived. The Twelfth New York Regiment and its band visited the camp of the Eighth, paraded through the streets, and just after supper the Twenty-First Kansas Regiment did the same thing. The Eighth then fell in, and although the mud was ankle deep, headed by the drum corps, the men marched through the Twelfth New York camp and on to the camp of the Twenty-First Kansas. The camp of the Twelfth New York was illuminated by one man standing in front of each tent, with a lighted candle in his hand. The effect was very striking. At the Twenty-First Kansas camp, Col. Fitch and Col. Pew made remarks, and Col. Leonard also spoke, upon the return trip through the Twelfth New York camp. The recruiting detail reported back for duty.

July 19.—Broke camp at 6 o'clock, and the regiment, except Co. A, went out on the Ringold pike to Pea Vine Valley. Advanced as though through the enemy's country, with the Third Battalion in the lead, Cos. II and K as the advance guard. First and Second Battalions encamped in one field and the Third Battalion encamped on the Craven farm. This latter settlement was named "Camp Eldredge."





July 20.—Broke camp at 5 o'clock and marched back to the old camping ground, reaching there at 7.25 o'clock, although the regiment went two miles out of its way by Col. Pew taking the wrong road home. Hints of a move to Porto Rico, which later proved to be false.

July 23.—Bonfires made of the 900 state knapsacks which were brought from Massachusetts. Will be replaced by blanket bags. Typhoid fever makes it first appearance in camp. Up to this time it had been kept out, although raging in other camps. During the entire stay at Chickamauga, the Eighth had less sickness than any regiment on the field, and received official compliment on the fact, the same being on record at Washington, D. C., and published in the Surgeon-General's report.

July 27.—Unhealthfulness of the camp becoming more apparent. Sickness on the increase. Seems to be coming all at once.

July 28.—Eighth Regiment won the division rifle match. The scores for teams of ten men each, were as follows: Eighth Massachusetts, 481; First New Hampshire, 474: Twelfth New York, 473; Twelfth Minnesota, 457; Fifth Pennsylvania, 457; Twenty-first Kansas, 456; Second Mississippi, 436; First South Carolina, 409; Ninth Pennsylvania, 409.

July 31.—Division sham battle, new idea being introduced in labelling the "dead and wounded," the latter being treated according to the nature of their imaginary wounds by the hospital corps.

August 1.—Grand review of the wagon train of the division. Upwards of 250 wagons and ambulances in line.

August 6.—New stand of colors presented to the regiment and

received with appropriate honors.

August 8.—Detail of the regiment started over the road to Charleston, Tenn., to arrange for places to bivouac on an intended march. This intended march was afterwards abandoned. Detail returned in ten days.

August 9.—Grand review of the troops in the park at Snodgrass Hill. Gen. Breckenridge, now in command, reviewed the 40,000 men in line. It was a grand sight to see the long line of infantry, the troops of cavalry, batteries of artillery; in fact, a representation of every branch of the service.

August 11.-Lieut. George N. Jewett, Co. H, resigned and is

discharged.

August 12.—News of the signing of the protocol received in camp with cheers. Rumor that we are to move to Lexington, Ky., but we took no stock in it. We had been fooled too many times.

August 14.—Lieut. A. G. Reynolds made first, and First Sergt. Thomas O. H. Pineau made second lieutenant of Co. H.

August 16.—A few men who have been sick, received fur-

loughs today and started for home.

August 17.—Another grand review on Snodgrass Hill. There were 44,000 in line this time; the Eighth conspicuous by wearing its full canyas uniform.

August 18.—Trouble with the Twelfth New York Regiment. Entire guard called out twice. First Battalion removed its camp to the Smith-Waite field. Lieut. Roland H. Sherman, Co. L, resigned and is discharged.

August 19.—Death of Bugler Spencer S. Hobbs, Co. K, Dan-

vers.

August 20.—The coldest thing in camp today was the reception given the petitions for muster out. These petitions requesting a muster-out appeared in each company street, but were not extensively signed. Ever since the signing of the protocol, there has been much talk of being mustered out.

August 21.—Orders issued to furlough all sick men. About two hundred come under this order, for sickness has increased within the last few days.

On Move to Lexington, Ky.

August 23.—Broke camp at five o'clock. We move at last. At eight o'clock we marched away from our camp-ground of three months and went over six miles of a dusty pike to Rossville. The dust was something fearful and the weather terribly hot. We laid about the dump at Rossville all day, but embarked about night-fall, and at seven o'clock pulled out for Lexington, Ky.

August 24.—After traveling all night, we arrived at Lexington at two o'clock and were shifted out to the Lexington and Eastern road and carried to "Montrose," about four miles outside the city, where we pitched camp on the Clark farm in a terrible rain storm. The camp was named "Camp Henry Clay," but later changed to "Camp J. M. Hamilton" as the war department ordered camps to be named for deceased soldiers.

August 26.—Horace Bird Frost appointed and commissioned assistant surgeon, vice Jenkins resigned.

August 28.—First appearance of the regimental prisoners in the famous "P" jackets. This jacket was nothing more than a

blue jumper with a white letter "P" several inches long on the back. The letter stood for "prisoner" although the men were dubbed "Pew's pets" and many other names.

August 30.—The effects of our three months' stay at Chickamauga are now making themselves apparent. Typhoid is breaking out, as is also malaria.

September 1.—Lieut. Henry W. French, Co. K, resigned and is discharged.

September 3.—"Furlough face" and "furlough walk" the rage in camp. These are the result of extensive furloughing of the men. The walk is a shuffling gait, while the face is beyond description. In many instances these ailments are sufficient to secure the much-coveted pieces of paper which mean a visit home for thirty or more days.

September 7.—First Sergeant Eugene Larrive, Co. L, commissioned second lieutenant Co. L.

September 8.—Mayor Ramsdell of Lynn in camp.

September 9.—Capt. J. G. B. Adams and a delegation of Massachusetts G. A. R., attending the national convention at Cincinnati, in camp.

September 12.—Mayor Chase of Haverhill in camp.

September 13.—Birthday of Maj. E. H. Eldredge celebrated by the Third Battalion. The major furnished a chicken dinner, with ice cream to top off with, to the men of the battalion.

September 14.—The division reviewed by Gen. Sanger, division commander.

September 15.—The Twenty-First Kansas Regiment of our brigade receives orders to go home for muster-out.

Death of Corp. Nichols.

September 17.—Death of Corp. John H. Nichols of Co. H. Eighth Regiment night at the Lexington Opera House. The officers and drum corps attended.

September 19.—Division review by Gen. Breckinridge. Hon. John M. Raymond of Salem and Hon. W. D. T. Trefry of Marblehead in camp.

September 20.—Gen. Alger, Secretary of War, arrived in camp being escorted to headquarters by the Eighth Massachusetts, Twelfth New York and Twenty-First Kansas Regiments. He reviewed the division in the afternoon. After the review, while enroute to his train, in passing through the Twelfth New York camp, the men of that command gathered at the head of the company streets and shouted "We want to go home;" "We want to go home."

September 23.—Governor Bradley and staff reviewed the troops, including the Seventh and Tenth Immunes (colored) from the camp at the other side of the city.

September 24.—The regiment visited the races at Loudon Park, and gave an exhibition drill.

September 26.—The Twenty-First Kansas Regiment departed for home.

September 27.—Sickness rapidly decreasing. Orders to move the location of tent floors every ten days to prevent disease. First Territorial Regiment arrived in camp.

September 29.—Count Yermoloff, military attache at the Russian Embassy, Washington, in camp.

October 1.—Eighth Regiment theatre party at Lexington Opera House. Many of the officers, the drum corps and ten men from each company, attended the performance of "Said Pasha."

October 7.—Rumors of a removal of the camp to Americus, Ga. Chaplain Sanders resigned and is discharged.

October 10.—Rioting among the soldiers of the division. First Battalion ordered out along the Bryan pike to stop all soldiers from going to Lexington, and to arrest all those coming from the city.

October 11.—Over 300 of the men of the regiment attended the performances of Forepaugh & Sells Brothers circus at Lexington.

October 14.—Sibley stoves arrived and issued. Weather getting quite cold.

October 15.—Co. H football team defeated by Kentucky State College team by a score of 59 to o.

October 20.—Division review by General Breckinridge, after which he turned the command over to General James H. Wilson.

October 24.—Death of Lieut. Frank L. Downey of Co. I, Lynn.

October 25.—Lieut. Stephen N. Bond, Co. K, resigns and is discharged.

October 26.—Snow storm which lasted several hours, but did no harm.

October 28.—Lieut.-Col. E. W. M. Bailey resigns and is discharged.

October 31.—Major William Stopford promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel.





November 2.—The examination of enlisted men to fill vacancies in the line commenced.

November 6.—A review of the army wagons and ambulances of the division.

"Evacuation of Lexington, Ky."

November 10.—" Evacuation of Lexington." Mud and liquor demoralized the regiment. Destination is Americus, Ga.

November 12.—Arrived at Americus, Ga., at 7.30 A. M. Went into camp just outside the town. The camp was named "Camp Forse," but later changed to "Camp Gilman," as there was already one camp of the first name selected.

November 21.—The brigade held its last review while under the command of General Waties. It was a complimentary review tendered to him and Col. Pew commanded.

November 23.—Augustus P. Gardner of Hamilton, Mass., furnished the regiment with a regular New England Thanksgiving dinner, from the turkey and "fixins" down to the plum pudding.

November 25.—New Krag-Jorgenson rifles issued to the regiment, taking the place of the ramrod bayonet Springfields.

November 29.—First Sergt. Leon J. Harvey, Co. I, Lynn, and Sergt. Alexander Robertson, Co. E, Beverly, announced as the winners in the enlisted men's competition for commissions. Both later commissioned as second lieutenants.

December 9.—Capt. Frank B. Denning, Co. C, resigns and is discharged.

December 10.—Very cold in camp. Ice formed for the first time.

December 13.—Lieut. Linville H. Wardwell, Co. C, resigns and is discharged.

December 17.—Lieut. James C. Nutt, Co. G, resigns and is discharged.

December 10.—Lieut-Col. William Stopford presented with a handsome sword on behalf of his Beverly friends.

December 21.—A firecracker was exploded on Co. K street after taps, and the entire company was ordered out and made to march into the open field and pitch a "pup" tent camp and remain there over night as punishment, despite the fact that it was raining hard. It was rough on the boys, but it was "discipline." Lieut. James M. Pettengill, Co. B, detailed to command Co. C.

December 22.—Col. Pew recently received permission to recruit up the regiment by transferring men from regiments in Massachusetts being mustered out. George A. Douglass of Lowell, transferred from the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment, the first man of this class, arrived in camp and assigned to Co. G.

December 23.—The Twelfth New York Regiment received orders to embark for Cuba.

December 25—Christmas in camp. Many of the companies decorated their quarters. Dinner contributed by Hon. George von L. Meyer enjoyed by the men.

December 30.—Orders received to get ready for service in Cuba. The news caused but little excitement.

First Move Towards Cuba.

January 6, 1899.—First Battalion broke camp and embarked on train for Savannah, Ga., there to board a transport for Cuba. Chaplain Sanders re-appointed on the staff.

January 8.—Second and Third Battalions broke camp, bound for Savannah and Cuba. Lieut. James M. Pettengill, Co. B, commissioned captain of Co. C.

January 9.—First Battalion sailed from Savannah, Ga., for Cuba on the Transport Obdam. Second and Third Battalions arrived at Savannah. Bad fire in the dry grass alongside the train, caused by match thrown in the grass, which was saturated with oil.

January 10.—Second and Third Battalions sailed for Cuba on the Transport Michigan. First Battalion arrived at Matanzas, Cuba, and disembarked. The camp was situated on a slight rise of ground back of Fort San Severino that guards the harbor. The ground where the camp was located is mostly coral hummocks and makes walking hard and the driving of tent pegs impossible. To overcome this the front and rear pieces of the floors are extended beyond the tents about four feet on either side, and the ends were jacked by two by four joist, to which the guy ropes were tied. The tents issued were hospital size and six men were allowed to a crew. Each man also had a cot bed. Lient. Eugene Larrive, Co. L, resigned and discharged.

January 13.—Second and Third Battalions disembarked and pitched camp, having arrived at 7 A. M. This was a temporary camp, the permanent one being occupied three days later.

January 19.—Harry E. Stiles of Lynn appointed and mustered principal musician and a band will be organized at once.

January 20.—Today the Cuban insurgents laid down their arms making quite a fuss over the act. The Eighth Regiment Drum Corps headed the Cuban soldiers in the parade, which was a feature of the day.

January 23.—A review of the troops took place today by Maj. Gen. Wilson, commander of the province of Matanzas and Brig. Gen. Sanger, commander of the District of Matanzas. Part of the band instruments arrived today.

January 24.—Co. M, Somerville, detailed for provost duty in city of Matanzas. Quartered at Santa Christina barracks.

January 25.—Five men of the regiment detailed to help take the census of Matanzas, among them being Musician William D. Sweetman and Private F. L. Woodbury, both of Co. E, Beverly. The band is getting so it plays quite well.

January 28.—Chaplain Sanders detailed on special duty as chairman of the commission of charities and corrections of Matanzas and served until the muster-out of the regiment.

February 2.—Corporal William H. Clendennin commissioned second lieutenant of Co. L.

February 6.—John F. Osborn of Boston, who came to Cuba to enlist, became a member of Co. H, Salem. He has the distinction of being the last man to join.

February 9.—Private Frederick A. Campbell, Co. H, Salem, on guard near the tent used as a postoffice, shot at a man whom he claimed was trying to enter the tent. The man evidently got out of the way, as no one was seen when the guard arrived.

February 11.—Inspection by Brigadier-General Breckenridge.

Reception to General Gomez.

February 20.—Reception to General Gomez, the Cuban general. The Eighth took part in the demonstration, afterwards being reviewed by General Gomez, General Wilson and General Sanger.

February 22.—Washington's birthday. General Gomez visited the camp.

February 28.—Rumors that the regiment is soon to sail for home.

March 9.—The Twelfth New York Regiment gets orders to prepare for home and muster-out. It is said our turn comes next.

March 16.—Co. H, Salem, does a tour of duty in marching about the guard tent, while the rest of the regiment is on evening

parade. This was in punishment for poor marching and alignment.

March 17.—St. Patrick's day celebrated by a review of the

regiment by General Wilson.

March 18.—Co. E detailed on provost duty at Matanzas, with

headquarters at Santa Christina barracks.

March 19.—Joyful news. Muster-out rolls were received and distributed. Co. E. Beverly, detached for duty at Santa Christina barracks, while Co. F, Haverhill, is sent to Fort San Severino.

March 24.—The regiment escorts the Twelfth New York reg-

iment to the transport, and gives it a parting cheer.

March 25.—Rumor has it that the Eighth will sail for home about March 30.

March 27.—Co. K ordered to provost duty at Santa Christina barracks, and Co. E ordered into Matanzas proper.

March 28.—Co. H detailed for provost duty at Matanzas, headquarters at Santa Christina barracks.

April 3.—Regiment embarks on board the transport Meade for Boston, Mass., weighs anchor and starts for the old Bay State.

Arrival at Boston.

April 9.—Transport Meade, having on board the Eighth Mass. Regiment, U. S. V., arrived in Boston harbor. It was met at quarantine by the tug Henry Preston, Sr., having aboard the following Beverly gentlemen: Mayor Benjamin D. Webber, Alderman T. B. Broughton, Councilman Pierce, Israel T. Webber, J. S. Bacon, ex-Aldermen Frank Woodbury, 2d, and C. S. Trowt, Councilman J. F. Williams, ex-Councilmen J. Clifford Dodge and U. G. Haskell, Representative Samuel Cole, Street Commissioner Lovett, City Marshal Ferguson, James McPherson, Daniel McPherson, Robert Robertson, Capt. W. E. Perry, J. H. Hinckley and ex-Alderman Horace Woodbury, owner of the tug, and who gave her services free, and Harry E. Webber of the Salem Evening News. "Beverly Welcomes Co. E" was the sign displayed along the sides of the tug, and this sign was cheered again and again as the tug neared the transport, which soon got under way, docking at the New England dock. After dinner the command disembarked, marched across Boston, presenting a fine appearance, was reviewed at the State House by Governor Wolcott and party. The temporary destination was the South Armory, where soon afterwards the men were furloughed until Wednesday, April 12, at noon.





April 12.—After warm welcomes at home, described in another portion of the book, the men reported for duty.

April 19.—After seven days of tiresome and dreary duty in the South armory, the men were furloughed until April 28, when muster-out would take place. During the seven days' stay in the armory the men slept and dined there, and gave several fine exhibitions on Boston Common which were attended by thousands.

April 27.—The following promotions were made in the regiment: First Lieut. A. G. Reynolds, to be captain of Co. H. vice Peabody discharged; Second Lieut. William F. Young, Co. D, to be first lieutenant of Co. H; Color Sergt. William F. Marston, Co. G, to be second lieutenant of Co. D. All commissions to date from April 12.

Regiment Mustered Out.

April 28.—The regiment reported promptly at 8.30 o'clock for the last day's duty as Uncle Sam's soldiers. At 10.10 the muster out commenced. A strong chest, guarded by a detachment of the Seventh U. S. Artillery, contained \$108,000 in gold and silver. Maj. Hueston was the paymaster, and Capt. Weaver, who was the mustering-in officer, officiated as mustering-out officer as well. The companies were mustered out in about forty-five minutes each, it being 5.30 o'clock before Col. W. A. Pew received his discharge and the Eighth U. S. V. was a matter of history. The commands were mustered out as follows: Co. E, Beverly; D, Lynn; G, Gloucester; M, Somerville; L, Lawrence; K, Danvers; B, Amesbury; C, Marblehead; F, Haverhill; I, Lynn; H, Salem; A, Newburyport; band, the field and staff and then Col. Pew.

The roster of the command upon muster-out was as follows:

Col. William A. Pew, Jr.

Lieut. Col. William Stopford.

Majors, Frank A. Graves and Edward H. Eldredge.

Adjutant, Lieut. Thomas H. Barroll.

Quartermaster, Lieut. Charles F. Wonson.

Surgeon, Maj. William Cogswell.

Assistant Surgeons, Lieut. Frank P. T. Logan and Horace Bird Frost.

Chaplain, Rev. George D. Sanders.

Co. A, Newburyport.—Capt. Alexander G. Perkins; First Lieut. George W. Langdon; Second Lieut. George H. Dow.

Co. B, Amesbury.—Capt. Horace S. Bean; First Lieut. Frank Stinson; Second Lieut. James W. Jackman.

Co. C, Marblehead. — Capt. John M. Pettingill; First Lieut.

Frederic P. Smith; Second Lieut. Edgar J. Whelpley.

Co. D, Lynn.—Capt. Charles T. Hilliker; First Lieut. Thos. J. Coby; Second Lieut. William F. Marston.

Co. E, Beverly. — Capt. Frederick W. Stopford; First Lieut. Charles H. Farnham; Second Lieut. Leon J. Harvey.

Co. F, Haverhill.—Capt. William C. Dow; First Lieut. Per Justus W. Swanberg; Second Lieut. Alexander Robertson.

Co. G. Gloucester. — Capt. Edward J. Horton; First Lieut. Charles M. McIsaac; Second Lieut. Charles R. Warner.

Co. II, Salem.—Capt. Augustus G. Reynolds; First Lieut. William F. Young; Second Lieut. Thomas O. H. Pineau.

Co. I, Lynn. — Capt. John E. Williams; First Lieut. Francisco A. De Sousa; Second Lieut. William H. Perry.

Co. K, Danvers.—Capt. A. Preston Chase; First Lieut. David E. Jewell; Second Lieut. David F. Whittier.

Co. L, Lawrence. — Capt. James Forbes; First Lieut. James H. Creig; Second Lieut. William H. Clendenin.

Co. M, Somerville.—Capt. Herbert W. Whitten; First Lieut. George I. Canfield; Second Lieut. Frederick W. Pierce.

The Arrival Home.

Details of the Welcome extended to the Various Companies, in their Respective Homes.

Sunday, April 9, 1899, was a day of excitement in the city. Early in the morning the fire alarm whistles sounded the agreed signal that the Transport Meade had been sighted in Boston harbor, and aboard her was the Eighth Regiment, U. S. V., the "Pride of Essex County" fresh from the shores of Cuba.

The early morning trains carried hundreds of Salemites to Boston, and they gathered along the streets and cheered and applauded the "boys" as they marched from the New England pier to the South armory. Soon after the regiment entered the armory orders were given to dismiss the companies and allow them to depart for their home stations.

Word was immediately telephoned to Salem and again the whistles of the fire alarm announced the news that Co. H would soon be in Salem again. While arrangements were being made in Boston for a special train to bring the companies which belonged in this section of the county to their respective stations, Salem was preparing to give the Salem Light Infantry boys a rousing welcome home.

There was considerable excitement as the people bustled about. Members of organizations hurried to their respective headquarters to get into uniform and participate in the parade. The usual Sunday night haunts of the young men were deserted and everyone, young or old, flocked to the centre of of the city to participate in the grand demonstration.

Flags were flung to the breeze and the people flocked to the vicinity of the depot, and that section of the city duplicated the

scene of the morning of the departure almost a year previous.

Churches abandoned their services, and minister and congregation went to swell the crowd. The city appeared as though enjoying a holiday, and one could hardly realize that it was the Sabbath day.

Co. H Arrives in Salem.

At 8.25 o'clock the special train bearing Co. H rolled into the station and the air was rent with the cheers of fifteen thousand people who gathered near that ancient stone structure. Line was quickly formed and the march taken up through Norman, Summer and Essex streets to the armory of Co. H in the Franklin building, where the men were dismissed.

The parade was made up in the following manner: Platoon of police, Marshal John W. Hart, commanding; Salem Cadet Band, Jean M. Missud, Leader; Second Corps Cadets, Lieut. Col. W. F. Peck. commanding; Phil H. Sheridan Post, G. A. R., L. P. Noyes commanding; Postal clerks and carriers, Lewis F. Brown, commanding; Salem Light Infantry Veteran Association, Maj. William A. Hill, commanding; Mayor James H. Turner and members of the city government; Army and Navy League, Capt. William M. Swasey commanding; Co. H, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V., Lieut. Augustus G. Reynolds commanding.

Such a cordial reception home had not be witnessed since the close of the civil war. One grand and continuous ovation was given the returning soldiers, the spectators manifesting a great degree of excitement and enthusiasm. Cheers rent the air; not faint-hearted cheers, but good robust ones, that sounded as though they came right from the heart.

All along the route Mags were displayed and red fire was burned. As the column passed the corner of St. Peter and Essex streets the St. Peter's church chimes pealed forth that old familliar tune which sunk deep into the hearts of the men, "Home, sweet home".

Arriving at the armory, Co. II marched into the drill hall, listened to remarks by Mayor Turner and Lieut. Reynolds, and was then dismissed, and the men went home to an even fonder welcome.

Beverly's Welcome.

At Beverly, Co. E was welcomed home with the same demonstrative feelings as shown in Salem, and under the escort of Post 89,

G. A. R., Sons of Veterans and the Fire Department, was escorted to the armory. Thousands turned out to welcome the boys home.

Marblehead's Greeting.

At Marblehead the Excelsior Drum Corps and Goodwin Post S2, G. A. R., Burgess Yacht Club delgation and a large number of citizens were found awaiting Co. C. The line of march led to Abbott Hall, where the command was welcomed home by H. C. Sparhawk, to which Capt. Pettingill and Lieut. Whelpley responded.

Co. K's Welcome Home.

Danvers went wild over the return of Co. K and met the command at the station with the West Peabody Band, Ward Post 90, G. A. R., and ex-members of Co. K, and marched amid cheering and burning of red fire, to the armory, where a substantial lunch was served by Louis Brown. After lunch, the men were dismissed.

Salem's Official Celebration.

Salem extended an official welcome home to Co. H, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V., on Tuesday, April 11, and although it was a grand success and thousands lined the streets, the affair lacked that unbounded enthusiasm shown by everyone upon the Sunday night previous.

Salem's streets were packed with humanity, while all the buildings were decked in bunting in honor of the event. The parade was the feature of the afternoon and started from the Common at two o'clock.

The formation of the parade was as follows: First division, platoon of police, City Marshal John W. Hart, commanding; Chief Marshal Col. Samuel A. Johnson, Amos Stillman, chief of staff and thirty-one aids; Salem Cadet band, Jean M. Missud, leader; Second Corps Cadets, Lieut. Col. Peck, commanding; Phil H. Sheridan Post 34, G. A. R., L. P. Noyes commanding; Army and Navy League, Capt. William M. Swasey commanding; Lieut. Col. Henry Merritt Camp 8, Sons of Veterans; carriages containing disabled members of the G. A. R.; carriages containing Mayor James H. Turner and members of the city government.

Second division, National Guards band; Salem Light Infantry Veteran association, Maj. W. A. Hill commanding; Co. H, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V.. Lieut. Augustus G. Reynolds commanding. Third division, Salem Brass band, Frank B. Herrick leader; Salem Letter Carriers and Postal Clerks, Postmaster W. Harvey Merrill commanding; Salem active firemen, Chief William O. Arnold commanding; Salem Veteran Firemen's association, P. H. Chesley commanding; Salem Drum Corps, H. B. Morrill leader; Father Mathew Total Abstinence society, R. J. Johnson commanding; St. Joseph Benefit society, Napoleon Thibault commanding; street department drivers, mounted, David N. Cook commanding.

"Vets" Tender a Dinner to Co. H.

As a fitting climax to the reception, the Salem Light Infantry Veteran association tendered a complimentary banquet to the members of Co. II, Eighth Regiment, in the armory of the command in the Franklin building.

The hall was handsomely decorated. The well laden tables were arranged in the drill hall up-stairs, and at the appointed hour three hundred and fifty persons sat down to supper.

The left of the hall was occupied by the members of the veteran association, the centre by the officers of the association, active company and invited guests, while the right of the hall was set apart for the "boys in blue" in whose honor the event was planned. Everything was "hip, hip, hurrah" from start to finish.

Rev. DeWitt S. Clark, pastor of the Tabernacle church, invoked Divine blessing, after which the good things cooked by Caterer Valiquet of Lynn were attacked, and at the end of an hour, during which the Cadet orchestra had rendered some excellent music, Commander William A. Hill rapped for order and speechmaking was in order, with Maj. John P. Reynolds acting as toastmaster.

The following gentlemen responded: Lieut. A. G. Reynolds, Col. George R. Jewett, Col. William A. Pew, Jr. Maj. Edward H. Eldredge, Mayor James H. Turner, Ex-Mayor David P. Waters, Rev. DeWitt S. Clark, Rev. Alfred Manchester, Hon. John D. H. Gauss, Maj. Dudley B. Purbeck, Capt. Herbert F. Staples, Capt. William M. Swasey, Aldermen Edwin O. Foster and David M. Little, Lieut. Col. Walter F. Peck and Hon. Alden P. White.

The invited guests besides the foregoing list of speakers, included Col. Samuel A. Johnson, Lieut. Thomas O. H. Pineau, Alderman

William E. Luscomb, Councilmen William H. Rollins, George O. Stevens, Daniel J. O'Mahoney, President of the Council William S. Felton, Capt. John Daland, Capt. Herbert T. Gray, Charles F. W. Archer of the Boston Journal, Harry E. Webber of the Salem News, Lieut. J. Hally Creig, Co. L, Eighth U. S. V., Col. John Chadwick, Lieut. H. S. Perkins, G. B. Perkins, Walter K. Bigelow, Councilman Edward C. Browne, Lieut. George Wheatland, Lieut. Edgar J. Whelpley, Co. C, Eighth U. S. V., Capt. Walter P. Nichols, Lieut. George N. Jewett, Lieut. Frank S. Masury, Capt. W. C. West, H. C. Mansfield, Col. John W. Hart, Col. Henry A. Hale, Lieut. G. B. Phippen and Adjt. Arthur H. Phippen.

Co. E's Official Welcome.

Tuesday, April 11, was also the day appointed by Beverly to officially welcome home her boys in Co. E, Eighth Regiment, U.S. There was a grand parade in the afternoon, followed by an oldfashioned New England boiled dinner at the armory on Thorndike street. In the evening there was a public reception to the company in City hall. School children upon a raised platform on the stage, sang patriotic songs and Hon. Benjamin D. Webber, mayor of the city, presided. Rev. B. R. Bulkeley of the Unitarian church invoked Divine blessing, after which speeches were made by Hon. Francis Norwood, Representative Samuel Cole, Commander George H. Thissell of Post So, G. A. R., Col. William Stopford, Capt. Frederick W. Stopford, Fred A. Wallis, Rev. Mr. Huigian, Rev. Francis J. Curran, John H. Watson and Rev. Mr. Warren of North Beverly. Mrs. Hervey Moulton read a poem, as did also Benjamin Webber, who had composed some original stanzas for the The Beverly Cadet band furnished music.

The afternoon parade comprised the following organizations: Platoon of police; Chief Marshal W. E. Perry and staff; cavalcade of horsemen; First division, Beverly Cadet Band; John H. Chipman Post 89, G. A. R.; John Low Camp, S. of V.; Preston Post 188, G. A. R.; Charles Haddock Camp, S. of V.; barouches containing disabled G. A. R. men and barouches containing Mayor Webber and members of the city government.

Second division—Edmund Putnam, chief; Lynn Brass Band; Co. E, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V.; Beverly Fire department, men and apparatus; Bass River Lodge, I. O. O. F.; Letter carriers force; Excelsior Drum Corps; Golden Star council, O. U. A. M.;

Young Men's Catholic Temperance society; Ancient Order of Hibernians; Bass River Court of Foresters; Knights of Columbus; carriages containing members of Roger Conant council, R. A.; carriages containing members of Beverly lodge, K. of P.; fourhorse drag containing members of Jubilee Yacht club; carriages containing citizens.

On the evening of April 28, 1899, just after having been mustered out of the United States service, Beverly tendered the men who had served in Co. E, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V. a banquet at City hall. The members of the G. A. R. were also present as

Supper was served at seven o'clock, after Rev. W. N. Richardson had invoked Divine blessing. Following the supper, Mayor B. D. Webber gave an address of welcome, after which speeches were made by Col. W. D. Sohier, Ex-Mayor Perry Collier, Capt. Frederick W. Stopford, Hon. Francis Norwood, Lieut.-Col. William Stopford, Commander A. J. Iverson, U. S. N., John 11. Watson and Commander Geo. H. Thissell, Post 89, G. A. R. During the evening Whittaker's orchestra furnished music, and the galleries were crowded, they having been open to the public.

Marblehead Welcomes Co. C.

Marblehead gave a formal and enthusiastic welcome to the boys of Co. C. Eighth Regiment, U. S. V., on April 17, 1899, and the old town was ablaze with excitement. It was a reception such as only Marbleheaders can give. The company arrived from Boston at 1.30 o'clock and was welcomed with the shricking of whistles, booming of cannon, ringing of bells and the shouting of the multitudes. The public school children, each carrying a small American flag lined Pleasant street on both sides and gave the men of the company a hearty welcome.

Line was immediately formed, the parade being the first event on the programme. The line of march was through the principal streets and the formation was as follows: Platoon of police; Chief Marshal Thomas Swasey and staff; Excelsior Drum corps; John Goodwin Jr., Post 82, G. A. R.; barges containing disabled members of the G. A. R.; carriages containing the selectmen and veterans; wagon containing cannon captured by the U.S.S. Marblehead at Fort Cayo del Soro, Cuba, loaned to the town by the government, drawn by a pair of horses in charge of Assistant





Engineer Charles S. Graves, late of the Governor Russell, and Seaman Elfred P. Graves of the Panther; mine captured by the U.S.S. Marblehead at Guantanamo and given to the town; Capt. Frank Tucker, Capt. W. B. Potter, and Lieut. Marshall, late of Co. C, Eighth, M. V. M. and Capt. Walter P. Nichols, late of Co. H, Eighth, U.S.V.; Co. C, Eighth Regiment, U.S.V.; Marblehead Fire department; National Guard band of Salem; Phoenix Veteran Firemen's association; apparatus of fire department; Thomas' Rough riders.

Following the parade a dinner was tendered to Co. C and invited guests, the Women's Relief corps acting as waiters. Chairman Sparhawk of the board of selectmen made a welcoming speech, and Divine blessing was invoked by Rev. H. L. Foote. After the banquet Co. C gave an exhibition drill on Atlantic avenue.

In the evening a grand reception was held at Abbot hall from 6.30 to 9.30 oclock. Chairman Sparhawk of the board of selectmen acted as chairman of the meeting. Addresses of a patriotic order were made by Hon. Samuel Roads, Jr., Rev. S. Linton Bell, Hon. William Reynolds, Rev. H. L. Foote, Maj. Gen. B. F. Peach, Representative Bridgeo, Rev. F. C. Priest, Thomas W. Tucker, John N. Osborne, Rev. W. C. Wasser, Rev. F. B. Sleeper, Joseph Gregory, Thomas Swasey, Stuart F. McClaren, Capt. J. M. Pettengill and Miss Mary Graves of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Aid society. In addition there were solos by B. M. Savory, Miss Anna S. Dupar and Dr. R. S. True, and an original poem by Rev. J. E. Norcross.

Danvers' Official Celebration.

Danvers tendered her official welcome home to the members of Co. K, Eighth Regiment, on April 11, 1899, and as in other cases, the affair took the form of a parade, reception and supper.

The parade formed early in the afternoon and moved through the principal streets, which were crowded, in the following order: Platoon of police; Chief Marshal F. U. French and cavalcade of horsemen; West Peabody Brass band; Ward Post 90, G. A. R.; carriages containing the selectmen and other distinguished townspeople; Co. K, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V.; ex-members of Co. K and citizens; school children.

At the conclusion of the parade a reception was held in Town hall, and for two hours or more greetings were exchanged, while the band played appropriate selections. At six o'clock line was re-formed and the march taken up for the armory of Co. K, where a most tempting supper was served, some three hundred or more people partaking of the good things. Rev. E. C. Ewing invoked Divine blessing. One of the touching features of the affair was the "vacant chair" in memory of Bugler Spencer Hobbs of Co. K, the only Danvers boy to die in the war.

After the inner man had been provided for, Chairman M. C. Pettengill rapped for order and made a brief address of welcome, after which the following citizens made brief speeches: Rev. George J. Sanger, Capt. A. Preston Chase, Daniel N. Crowley, Representative A. P. Learoyd, Selectmen George W. Baker, Edwin Turner, Thomas J. Lynch, Lieut. David Jewell, James W. Jackman. The meeting closed with the singing of "America" by the entire company.

War Scenes Near Home.

Service of the Second Corps Cadets and Manning of Coast Forts.

When the first rumors of war were heard upon the streets of the city, the services of the Second Corps Cadets were tendered to the governor, through the commander, Lieut. Col. Samuel A. Johnson. Owing to the fact that the corps was of a battalion formation, and that plenty of regiments of militia, all over the country, were tumbling over each other to be accepted, the government failed to take advantage of the offer. That the battalion was not accepted was a source of great regret to the men.

Although it was not the fortune of the organization to be mustered into the United States service, the corps was called to duty in garrisoning Fort Miller, Naugus Head, Marblehead, at a time when many citizens feared that a fleet of Spanish war vessels was bound New Englandward. This fear, however, later proved to be without foundation.

In obedience to Special Orders No. 51, issued May 6, 1898, from the adjutant general's office at Boston, the Second Corps Cadets was called into service.

May 9, Capt. Philip Little, commanding Co. A, with Lieuts. George E. Symonds and F. Ernest Clark, left Salem for Fort Miller, and soon had the camp pitched within the confines of the fort. May 12, several rapid fire guns were received, and these were later mounted for use.

On the seventeenth of May Co. A was relieved by Cos. B and D, Capt. Frank S. Horton commanding, with Lieuts. John E. Spencer and George E. Worthen.

The third detachment, comprising Co. B, commanded by Capt. Reuben W. Ropes, with Lieuts. Arthur N. Webb and Harry

F. Dalton, took command of the fort, May 24, remaining until June 1, when, pursuant to orders, the fort was abandoned, the property turned over to the government and the detachment returned home.

During the tour of duty a detachment of United States engineers was expected to superintend the reconstruction of the fort and the laying of mines in the harbor, but for some reason which was never explained, the detachment failed to materialize.

While the results to be seen, by reason of the service of the corps at this station, were small, still considerable hard work was done by the men. During the tour of duty the commanding officer, field and staff, was on duty at the armory in Salem.

Lieut. David Mason Little, quartermaster of the corps, was detailed by the state, on May 7, as state ordnance officer and occupied that position until after the hostilities with Spain ceased. He had entire charge of the ordnance of the state, distributed among the various forts, performing his duty in a manner which reflected credit upon himself and the command he represented.

In addition to the tour of duty at Fort Miller, the Second Corps Cadets turned out and escorted Co. II, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V. to the depot on the day of departure, and from the depot on its return. The organization also turned out at the funerals of Corp. Nichols and Privates Sanders and Deasy, besides furnishing firing parties for eleven other funerals. In addition many members of the corps secured furloughs and enlisted in the volunteer organizations, serving in a manner that reflected great credit upon the mother organization.

Roster at Fort Miller.

The following men of the corps were on duty during its service at Fort Miller:

Lieut. Col. Samuel A. Johnson, commanding; Maj. Walter F. Peck; Lieut. Andrew Fitz, adjutant; Maj. James E. Simpson, surgeon; Lieut. J. William Voss, assistant surgeon; Lieut. Edward A. Maloon, paymaster; Lieut. David M. Little, quartermaster; Rev. Elwin J. Prescott, chaplain.

Non-commissioned Staff.—Charles O. Dugan, quartermaster-sergeant; Frank L. Decker, hospital steward.

Co. A. — Capt. Philip Little, Second Lieut. George E. Symonds, First Sergt. Edward T. Graham, Sergts. Joseph H.





Dyer, Nathaniel T. Very, Charles H. Hodskinson, George W. Blinn, Francis H. Cook, Corps. Ora B. Currier, Jr., Charles C. Handy, William A. Staples, Percival Phillips, Arthur L. Sanders; Musicians Justin D. Hanscom, Harry L. Howard; Privates Ernest W. Allard, John S. Atkins, Jr., Harry E. Briggs, William A. Burding, John S. Burke, William A. Campbell, Nathaniel E. Curtis, Edwin P. Carlin, William J. Dawkins, William H. Downes, Frank B. Ellery, George M. Evett, James H. Flynn, Charles E. Hayford, Thomas W. Head, Arthur K. Hooper, Frank H. Hodgkins, Israel D. Johnson, Walter E. Jones, Arthur S. Lamprey, John W. McInnis, George S. McNeill, Frank J. McDonald, John W. McBain, Herman E. Miller, William T. Neal, Edward C. Osborne, Penuel A. Parker, Benjamin A. Pond, Herbert M. Phillips, John S. Perkins, Charles A. Peck, Edwin C. Ropes, Thomas M. Ray, James L. Roop, Frederick L. Roberts, Stephen H. Simon, Clarence E. Swett, Charles H. Symonds, Edward W. Toft, George T. Tanch, Horace L. Upham and Edward F. Walsh.

Co. B.-Capt. Reuben W. Ropes, First Lieut. Arthur N. Webb, Second Lieut. Harry F. Dalton, First Sergt. Frank S. Perkins, Sergts. Henry R. Leach, Harry S. Perkins, George A. Smith, Samuel G. Aull, Corps. Frank W. Hale, Eugene T. Redmond, Harry A. Titus, Edwin C. Buck, Musicians Charles W. Macomber, George M. Robie, Privates William F. Adams, Howard Arey, Walter F. Barton, Dennison L. Brown, Bailey C. Brown, William Briggs, Harvey R. Brooks, Frank A. Buker, Frank G. Burns, Fred L. Cole, Charles H. Collins, Edward K. Copeland, Walter N. Crowell, Arthur P. Danforth, Arthur T. Dalton, Harry R. Davenport, Peter E. Doliber, Walter S. Douglas, Leonard Hamel, Alfred S. Harris, James S. Irving, William A. Irving, George P. Mann, Samuel C. Mason, Ralph E. Maxfield, Harry R. Noble, George W. Nolcini, Fred E. Pearson, Arthur E. Perkins, B. Alvalı Price, Harry C. Price, James M. Ropes, Howard C. Rudderham, Harry S. Sawyer, John Sears, Thomas R. Sheehan, Edward O. Sinclair, George A. Voorhees, Frank R. Washburn, Walter S. Washburn, Roger Whipple, Walter Whipple, Edwin F. Woodman.

Co. C.—Capt. Frank S. Horton, Second Lieut. F. Ernest Clark, First Sergt. James N. Clark, Sergts. Arthur F. Hull, J. Clarke Brown, Winfred C. Sanborn, John G. Burbeck, Henry P. Nourse, Corps. Edmund S. Nichols, James A. Furfey, Harry A. Peach, William A. Mann, Albion Stephenson, Jr., Musicians

Andrew M. Stone, John Bagley, Privates Charles A. Archer, Leroy A. Bartlett, Horace M. Brown, Walter H. Blood, Walter F. Buck, Henry D. Campbell, Murdock Campbell, Edward Clark, William H. Clay, William Crawford, Samuel Dinsmore, Albert Devoe, Benjamin Dimock, Frederick W. Gay, Herbert F. Gray, John H. Harris, Walter E. Humphrey, Harry E. Hussey, W. Everett Hoyt, Walter E. Jones, Clarence F. Lee, James Lyons, Charles E. Lawrence, William W. Mitchell, Stephen C. Marden, George A. Millett, Lewis W. Newell, Henry B. Northrup, John Philbrick, Fred T. Phippen, Frank H. Sanger, Andrew Smiley, Orrin C. Symonds, Fred W. Tibbetts, Eben S. Upton, Rollin E. Wells, Roger F. Wiley.

Co. D.—First Lieut. John E. Spencer (Co. C) commanding, First Lieut. George E. Worthen, Sergts. William M. Prescott, Burton H. Farnham, Corp. Freeman Bunker, Privates Frank Bartlett, Willis H. Bean, Oscar P. Ellis, Donald Macauley, Edward J. Mills, Henry Nickles, Herbert E. Nickles, Harry J. Parker, Royal C. Reid, Walter E. Worthen.

Fort Pickering Manned.

While the Second Corps Cadets was manning Fort Miller, a rumor gained ground that batteries of the First Massachusetts Heavy Artillery Regiment would be sent to Salem to occupy Fort Pickering.

Nothing definite grew out of these rumors, however, until June 3, when a detachment from Batteries C and D, in command of Lieut. Keenan, quartermaster of the regiment, was landed from the Steamer Surf City, afterwards capsized in the harbor. They came prepared to pitch the camp, but work had to be suspended, as it was raining in torrents; so bad in fact, that the detachment that night slept in the drill hall of the Second Corps Cadets.

Next day, however, the sun shone and the camp was pitched. On June 6 the remaining men of the two batteries arrived, coming from Fort Warren, Boston harbor, on the Steamer City of Quincy. A landing was soon made, and after getting ashore, all was hustle and bustle until the camp was in shape.

The camp was pitched within the outer breastworks of the fort, headquarters being upon the left of the entrance and the guard tents on the right. Over near the parapet of the fort were located the company streets of Batteries C and D. The headquarters of

the regiment, which was distributed along the coast, manning forts, was located in Salem, from which point orders were issued.

The officers on duty at Fort Pickering were as follows: Col. Charles Pfaff, commanding; Maj. Perlie Dyar, commanding battalion; Maj. Howard S. Deering, surgeon; Lieut. William A. Rolfe, assistant surgeon; Lieut. Horace B. Parker, adjutant; Lieut. John S. Keenan, quartermaster and Lieut. George B. Stockwell, signal officer.

The batteries were officered as follows: Battery C.—Capt. Charles P. Nutter, First Lieut. Charles F. Nostrom, Second Lieut. Joseph F. Francis. Battery D.—Capt. Joseph H. Frothingham, First Lieut. Norman P. Cormack, Second Lieut. William J. Cullough.

Soon after the arrival of the detachment the camp became the mecca of Salemites, and every day there were many visitors at camp. It was upon Sunday, at evening parade, that the greatest crowds gathered. On these occasions the visitors would number into the thousands. They came to watch the ceremony, which was frequently enlivened by the presence of the Salem Cadet Band.

It was not all play and show with the battery boys, however. They were made to work, and work quite hard. Long marches were often taken, the batteries going out for a day at a time and covering much territory in the vicinity of Salem. Many hours with the pick and shovel on the breastworks of the fortification offset all fun, but the men seemed to enjoy each portion.

During the period of the occupancy of Fort Pickering a number of rapid fire guns were set up and used, some quite extensively in target practice. Targets were stationed from one to two miles down the harbor, towards Baker's Island, and excellent work was done in marksmanship. At one time a large quantity of ammunition was stored, the exact amount or kind never being made public.

Fort Received Reinforcements.

June 27, Battery A, officered as follows: Capt. John A. Boardman, Jr., First Lieut. E. Dwight Fullerton, Second Lieut. Sumner Paine, arrived from Nahant, where it had been stationed. The command marched over the road, joining its sister organizations in time to participate in the evening parade.

Lieut. Fullerton, although connected with Battery A, never did duty at the local fort, being upon detail at Fort Hamilton, New

York harbor, in company with Lieut. P. Frank Packard, Battery K, who was a Salem boy, and a former well-known Cadet man.

On August 27 the garrison was further strengthened by the arrival of Battery B from Portsmouth, N.H., where it had done duty in guarding the Spanish prisoners captured from Admiral Cervera's fleet off Santiago. This battery was commanded by Capt. Walter E. Lombard, with First Lieut. John E. Day and Second Lieut. Marshal Underwood.

About Sept. 1, orders were received to evacuate the fort, but it was not until Sept. 19 that the battalion packed up its camp equipage and marched away. It was given a grand ovation as it marched up Essex street with its swinging step. The battalion was ordered to South Framingham to join the regiment. The regiment encamped there until Oct. 5 and was then furloughed until Nov. 14, on which day the organization was mustered out of the United States service.

Before departing from Salem the battalion presented the Now and Then association with a beautiful silver tankard, to show that the courtesies extended by that organization had been heartily appreciated by the boys in blue. The Now and Then association had given all members of the command the privileges of its handsome quarters in the Cate block. The battery members also presented the Y. M. C. A. with a handsomely framed picture in return for courtesies extended by that association.

Battery H at Marblehead.

Battery II of the same regiment, First Heavies, occupied Fort Sewall, at Marblehead, during the same length of time that Fort Pickering was manned, and often worked in conjunction with the batteries stationed in Salem, planning and carrying out sham fights. This battery joined the battalion at Salem on the day of departure and went to South Framingham and rejoined the regiment.

Many "Rookies" Secured.

Orders having been issued to recruit the Eighth Regiment to war strength, 106 men to a company, a recruiting office was opened at the Franklin building, on the morning of June 13, 1898, and was in charge of Sergt. Edgar J. Whelpley of Co. H. This office remained open until July 8, enough recruits being secured to not only fill the quota of Co. H, but several other companies as well.





The Military Funerals.

The Sadder Side of the Picture of War, as Seen Near Home.

Amid the cheering of the multitude, the booming of guns and the excitement attending the departure of troops to war, scarcely one in a hundred thinks of the other side of the picture. The fact that ere long some of those very men marching past in all the vigor of manhood, would be brought back home in the stillness of death is not considered. This was the case with Salem people and it was not until Aug. 15 that they realized that there was another and sadder side to the picture of war.

It was on that day that the news was received in Salem that Wellman H. Sanders, a Salem boy serving in Roosevelt's Rough Riders, officially known as the First U. S. Volunteer cavalry, had succumbed to disease and lay dead aboard a hospital-ship off Siboney, Cuba. The news cast a gloom over the entire city, but as the tidings had been received in a roundabout way, a ray of hope was left that that the news might be false. The news was later found to be only too true.

Trooper W. H. Sanders Buried.

It was not until Sept. 15, however, that Salem people really realized that a soldier boy was dead. It was on the afternoon of that day that Sanders was buried. The bells tolled and business was suspended, while "Old Glory" hung at half mast from every staff in the city.

The services were at the North church and were conducted by Rev. George D. Latimer. After the service the body was placed in the hearse and under the escort of the Salem Cadet band, Second Corps Cadets, Post 34, G.A.R., the Salem Light Infantry Veteran association, and representatives of the Eighth Mass. Regiment, then at home on furlough, the march was taken up for Harmony Grove, where, after the customary three volleys and the sounding of taps, the body was lowered into the grave.

The honorary pall bearers were Jacob C. Rogers, 2d., George Wheatland, Jr., Alexander Ladd, James H. Perkins, Edward L. Rantonl, James Dean, N. P. Hallowell, Le Baron Russell, Allen Forbes, E. N. Fenno, Jr., and John M. Little, Jr. The firing squad from the First Heavy Artillery, then stationed at Fort Pickering, was composed of Corp. Brittin and Privates Cobb, McGrath, Quinn, Stoddard and Wolcott of Battery A and Privates Childs, Clark and Sargent of Battery D.

Funeral of Private H. A. Deasey.

On the following day, Sept. 16, Salem was called upon a second time to mourn the loss of a son, when Private Henry A. Deasey, a member of Co. II, Eighth Regiment, who died at Pittsfield, N.H., Sept. 14, while upon sick furlough, was buried from the St. James church, Rev. John J. McGrath officiating. The service was simple but impressive, especially the music. Business was suspended in the city, the flags were displayed at half mast and the bells were tolled. After the service the funeral parade formed and marched to the St. Mary's cemetery, where the body was lowered into the grave, after the simple soldiers' salute had been fired. The Cadet band, Second Corps Cadets, Post 34, G.A.R., the Salem Light Infantry Veteran association, furloughed soldiers of the Eighth Mass. Regiment, then at home, the Salem Boat Club, Local Union 138, Journeymen Plumbers, and the North Salem Debating club formed the funeral escort.

The pall bearers were Thomas Hyde, William H. Fullam, John E. Bartlett, James J. Rock, Thomas J. Cleary, James Anketelle, Joseph Quinn and Frank Little. The firing squad was from the First Heavy Artillery and was composed of Corp. Eastman, Musician Hooper, Privates Hudson, Rink, Thompson and Williams of Battery C, and Privates Drummond, Fairclough, Gilkey and Phaneuf of Battery B.

Corp. J. H. Nichols' Funeral.

Sept. 21, Salem was again reminded of the horrors of war by the third funeral cortege to pass through her streets within a week. This time she mourned the loss of Corp. John H. Nichols, Co. H, Eighth Regiment, who died of fever at the James Blair Gibbs General Hospital, Lexington, Ky., Sept. 17. Again was business suspended, flags placed at half mast and the bells tolled. The body, which had laid in state at Cadet armory, was escorted to his late home, 16 Cambridge street, where a service was held, and thence to the Universalist church, where public services were held, Rev. Charles H. Puffer officiating. The burial was at Broad street cemetery and the procession was composed of the Cadet band, Second Corps Cadets, Post 34, G. A. R., Salem Light Infantry Veteran association, furloughed soldiers of the Eighth Mass. Regiment, and the employes of the Salem Electric Lighting Company, by whom the deceased had been employed before enlisting.

The guard of honor, which surrounded the casket while the body laid in state at Cadet armory, was composed of Corp. Stevenson of Co. C, Privates Flynn, Atkins, Hayford, C. H. Symonds of Co. A, and Privates Millett, O. C. Symonds and Hall of Co. C, Second Corps Cadets. The pall bearers were Corp. Wardwell, Co. H, Eighth Regiment, Corps. Stevenson and Mann, Co. C, Second Corps Cadets, and Joseph H. Gifford, Harry Kingsley and Charles H. Ashby of the Salem Electric Lighting Company. The firing squad was composed of Corp. Edmund Nichols, Privates Clay, Gay, Smiley, Lyons, O. C. Symonds, Young, Johnson, Danforth, Dawkins, Arey, Briggs and Pond of the Second Corps Cadets.

Private Kingsley Buried.

Frederick S. Kingsley, Co. B, Seventh U. S. regulars, died at Chelsea, and on Sept. 24, after services at Chelsea, was buried in the Broad street cemetery, Salem. The bells of the city tolled as the funeral moved through the streets. The pall bearers were Commander George G. Page and William F. Gilligs, Ezra H. Dexter and Edward Brenner of Theodore Winthrop Post 35, G.A.R., Chelsea, Privates H. S. Hoagland, Co. B, and George E. Wilson, Co. H, Seventh U. S. regulars. The firing squad was composed of Corp. Peach, Privates Hooper, Clay, Burns, Danforth, Pond, Walsh, Noble and Simon of the Second Corps Cadets.

Funeral of Private Sweeney.

For the fifth time the shriek of the fife and the muffled beat of the drum were heard upon the streets of Salem when on Oct. 25 the body of John Sweeney, Co. B, Eighth Regiment, who had died of disease at the James Blair Gibbs General hospital, Lexington, Ky., Oct. 20, was escorted to its last resting place in St. Mary's cemetery. The services were held at the Immaculate Conception church, Rev. Francis Walsh officiating. The furloughed soldiers, then at home, paraded in honor of the dead soldier, and the pall-bearers were Corp. Lewis F. Brown, Battery B, and Privates Dalton and D. W. Cleary, Battery D, First Heavy Artillery, Privates Arthur J. Ahearn and Garrett T. Cotter, Co. H, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V., and Herbert T. Mallard, U. S. Hospital corps. The firing party was composed of Corp. Sanborn, Privates Clay, Danforth, H. M. Brown, McBain, Walsh, Woodman, B. Brown and Tanch of the Second Corps Cadets.

Marine H. R. Richardson Buried.

Feb. 9, 1899, Salem again did honor to a dead son, when Herbert R. Richardson, U. S. Marine corps, who had died Feb. 5 at the Brooklyn Naval hospital, of disease, was laid at rest in Harmony Grove. Services were held at 1 Orne square, his late home, conducted by Rev. Edwin P. Farnham of the First Baptist church. The firing squad, which fired the parting volley over the grave, was composed of Corp. Stevenson, Musician Hanscom, Privates O. C. Symonds, Neal, Danforth, Noble, Ray, Clay and Tanch of the Second Corps Cadets.

Funeral of Musician Hobbs.

Danvers was called upon to mourn the loss of Musician Spencer S. Hobbs, Co. K, Eighth Regiment, who died at Chickamauga Park, Ga., Aug. 19, of typhoid fever. There was a general suspension of business, Aug. 23, the day of the funeral, and flags were displayed at half mast and the bells of the town tolled. Impressive services were held at the Maple Street church, conducted by Rev. Walter E. C. Wright of Olivet, Mich., a former pastor. After the services the body was escorted to Walnut Grove cemetery, the funeral parade being composed of the Danvers Drum corps, Ward



Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Maxfield, U. S. Army.



Post 90, G.A.R., and ex-members of Co. K, Eighth Regiment, M.V.M. The pall bearers were Bugler Wyatt, Privates Dalton and Sargent of Battery D, and Private Cutler of Battery A, First Heavy Artillery from Salem, while the firing party was composed of Corp. Peach, Privates Davenport, Mason, Clay, McBain, Gardner, I. D. Johnson, Smiley and Arthur Perkins of the Second Corps Cadets, also of Salem.

Burial of Private C. L. Bartol.

June 3 Marblehead was called upon to mourn the loss of her son, Clarence L. Bartol of Co. C, Eighth Regiment, who had died at Chickamauga Park, Ga., May 29, the second member of the regiment to give his life for his country. The town paid full tribute to the memory of the soldier boy. Business was suspended, flags placed at half mast and the bells were tolled. Services of an impressive nature were held at the North church, conducted by Rev. S. Linton Bell, assisted by Rev. H. L. Foote and Rev. Thomas W. Sanborn. The body was interred at Waterside, being escorted thither by the Excelsior Drum corps, John Goodwin, Jr., Post 82, G. A. R., Women's Relief corps, Phænix Firemen's association and the High school battalion. The firing squad was composed of ex-members of Co. C, Eighth Regiment, M.V. M., under the command of Corp. Winthrop Brown, and the pall bearers were a detail of eight men from Battery H, First Heavy Artillery, stationed at Fort Sewall.

Funeral of Private Florence.

A second time Marblehead was called upon to do honor to a dead son, when, on Oct. 14, the body of Private William H. Florence, Co. C, Eighth Regiment, who had died at the James Blair Gibbs General hospital, Lexington, Ky., Oct. S, of disease, was laid at rest at Waterside. Services were conducted at the North church by Rev. S. Linton Bell, assisted by Rev. H. C. McDougall and Rev. F. W. Sanborn. Business was suspended, the bells were tolled and all respect was shown the memory of the dead soldier. The funeral cortege was composed of the Excelsior Drum corps, John Goodwin, Jr., Post 82, G.A.R., the Lasters' Protective union, and furloughed soldiers of the Eighth Regiment. The pall bearers and firing party were a detail from Battery H, First Heavy Artillery.

The Work at Home.

Brief Record of What Was Accomplished by the Volunteer Aid and Other Organizations.

While the men sprang to arms at the call of President McKinley, the patriotic women, who remained at home, organized themselves into Volunteer Aid societies and did much good work for the soldier, both as to making him more comfortable in the camp and also while home upon sick furlough.

Considerable credit is due the Daughters of Revolution for the movement, for in Salem, Beverly, Marblehead and Peabody this society took the initiative, while in Danvers the Women's association took the first step.

Miss Sarah E. Hunt was very active throughout the war and was a member of the women's committee of the state Volunteer Aid society and a member of the Boston Relief committee. She did much good work in that city. In return, some of those whom she visited, made her an honorary member of George J. Whitten Camp No. 1, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, a compliment also tendered to Miss Helen Gould.

Salem sent three nurses into the field, all of whom did valiant work in the fever stricken camps at Montauk Point, Chickamauga, and other hospitals of the south.

Mrs. Harriet M. Maxwell, who graduated from Salem Hospital in the class of 1886, enrolled in the government service in February '98, and was ordered to New York Aug. 25, going to work at once at Montauk Point, remaining until October, and was then transferred to the Josiah Simpson hospital, Fortress Munroe, Va., remaining until discharged by resignation in February '99.

Mrs. Maxwell was personally thanked, while in the service, by President McKinley and Maj. Gen. Joseph Wheeler. She is a charter member of the Spanish War Nurses association.

Miss Julia May Leach graduated from Salem hospital, May 25, 1898, and entered the government service Aug. 29 of that year, being sent at once to Camp Wickoff, Montauk Point. She was ordered to Josiah Simpson hospital, Fortress Munroe, Va., Oct. 4, and was discharged from the government service May 5, 1899. She is a member of the Spanish War Nurses association, and did excellent work while in the service.

Miss Lillian G. Lane, also a graduate of the Salem hospital, saw service with the government, being on duty at the Sternberg hospital, Chickamauga Park, and at various other places.

In connection with the volunteer aid work, mention should be made of Capt. William M. Swasey of Salem, who, as first officer of the Hospital ship "Bay State," assisted materially in bringing sick men from Cuba and Porto Rico to Massachusetts.

Following will be found a brief summary of the work of the associations in this vicinity:

Salem Volunteer Aid Association.

About fifty ladies met in Plummer hall on the afternoon of May 26, 1898, in response to a call from North Bridge chapter, Daughters of Revolution, of this city, for the purpose of forming an organization to assist the Salem Volunteer Relief committee and the Massachusetts Volunteer Aid society.

Mrs. Horace S. Perkins, regent of the Chapter, called the meeting to order, and introduced Miss Sarah E. Hunt, regent of the state society, who emphasized the need of an organization of women.

Fourteen clubs and societies were represented, and it was voted unanimously to organize the Salem Volunteer Aid association, and in addition to the usual officers to have an advisory board, to consist of the directors of the North Bridge chapter and one representative from each society represented at the meeting, and one from each church and charitable society in the city.

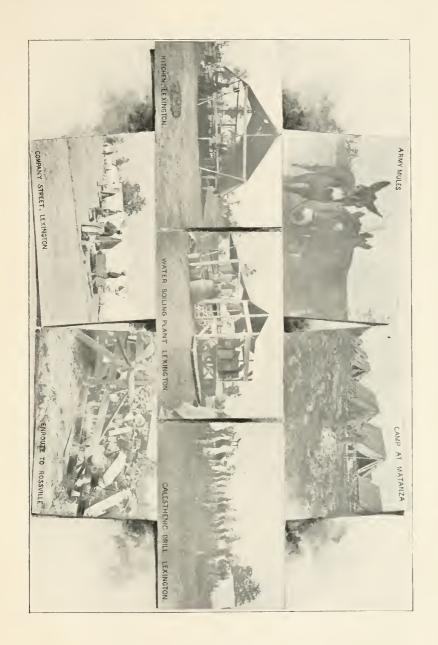
The officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Horace S. Perkins, president; Miss Sarah E. Hunt, vice-president; Miss Ellen B. Brown, recording secretary; Mrs. Edward A. Brown, corresponding secretary; Miss Anna F. Perkins, treasurer, with the following

advisory board: Mrs. Robert E. Hill, Miss Emilie Ropes, Mrs. John W. Perkins, Miss Annie S. Symonds, Miss Anna G. Hubon, Mrs. Daniel Low, Mrs. J. Frank Harris, Mrs. James B. Nichols and Miss Sarah P. Fowler from North Bridge chapter, D. of R.; Miss Mary E. Webb, First church; Mrs. Alfred Manchester, Second; Mrs. David Choate, Tabernacle; Mrs. Joseph A. Dane, South; Mrs. Joanna Strout, Crombie Street; Mrs. Orrin Thompson, Universalist; Mrs. Charles Odell, First Baptist; Mrs. Russell F. Harding, Central Baptist; Mrs. John Richards, Calvary Baptist; Mrs. A. C. Titus, Wesley; Mrs. Dillon Bronson, Lafayette Street; Mrs. Charles Curwen, St. Peter's; Miss Mary Dugan, Immaculate Conception; Mrs. Henry J. Gaffney, St. James; Miss Mary Robinson, Samaritan society; Miss Mary P. Haskell, W. C. T. U.; Mrs. Annie M. Upton, Women's Relief corps; Mrs. Harriet Perkins, Ladies of the G.A.R.; Mrs. Austin Quimby, Ladies' Naval Veteran association; and Miss Annie B. Brown, Miss Alice D. Perkins, Mrs. Charles H. Price, Mrs. Nathaniel A. Horton and Mrs. Henry M. Meek, by virtue of their offices as chairmen of other committees.

The officers and advisory board held twenty-four meetings from May 26, 1898, to March 16, 1899, inclusive. The meetings for work were held at the North church chapel always three times a week, and during many weeks daily. Work was also given out to those who preferred to do it at home. At the chapel large numbers of the women of the city came together, regardless of creed or station, and worked in perfect harmony and with unflagging zeal through the heat of a terrible summer. The women's committee of the Mass. Volunteer Aid association had suggested to its branches that all work should be done as "under orders," and the Salem society followed this suggestion to the letter, thus avoiding friction from differences of opinion in regard to methods, etc.

There were six committees, viz.: Soliciting, purchasing, cutting, inspection, packing and relief (the last named visited the returned soldiers at the hospital, and also gave aid to the soldiers' families when needed). The relief committee continued its work much longer than the others, meeting fortnightly at the president's home, for reports and conference, until August, 1899.

The first contribution of money was \$25 from North Bridge chapter, D. of R., the gift being announced at the meeting at which the association was organized. The first sewing was done by Mrs. Lucy H. Bowdoin at her home. She knew a call would come and anticipated it.





The first garment was cut Saturday, June 3, and the first meeting for sewing was Monday, June 5. Perhaps the most remarkable entry in the secretary's records is a vote of thanks passed by the advisory board, June 17, '98 to William McP. Sanborn, formerly steward at the Salem hospital, for a gift of four sheets and pillow slips made by his own hands. One Salem man furnished all the cotton cloth used.

That the children were interested is shown by the records of the secretary which record the gift of \$2.35 from a sewing society composed of little girls of the North church parish.

The citizens vied with each other in extending courtesies; the physicians giving their services; Lakeman's express carrying the goods free, and whenever a call for articles was issued responses were quickly made.

The surgeon of the First Heavy Artillery, stationed at Fort Pickering, was equipped with supplies for his men, while generous quantities of supplies were sent to Co. H, and a good-sized contribution was made to equip the Hospital Ship "Bay State."

In September a new field of work, that of caring for the sick soldiers, home on furlough, was opened and much excellent work was done in assisting them and their people.

Near the close of the year the treasury was empty and there was need of more money, so arrangements were made for a concert by local talent, under the direction of Frank Poeton. It was held at Academy hall, and was a big success, netting \$190. The artists who assisted were Mrs. Frank M. Collester, Mrs. Frank Poeton, Miss Phoebe H. Almy, Dr. Charles B. Leroyd and Arthur Fielding Luscomb.

On the evening of May 2, during the G.A.R. fair, the soldiers of Co. H, Eighth Regiment, and Salem soldiers were tendered a supper by the association at Cadet hall.

Feb. 28, 1901, a meeting of the advisory board was held with eleven members present. Mrs. Quimby and Mrs. Upton of the relief committee reported that the work had been continued to that day. They reported that nine physicians of Salem had given their services free. As a fitting close to the work the board made arrangements to receive contributions for the Roger Wolcott Memorial fund, headquarters being established at Cadet armory.

During the career of the association 1016 garments, etc., were cut, according to the cutting committee's report, and 1877 articles, exclusive of old linen and reading matter, were packed and sent away.

The treasurer's report is as follows: Receipts from donations, \$1,278.26: proceeds of entertainment, \$190; from sale of articles after work was concluded, \$2.13. Total, \$1,470.39. Expenditures: Hospital Ship "Bay State," \$550; sent southern hospitals and camps, including amount to Eighth Regiment, \$222; material for garments, etc., \$277.06; paid for medicine, groceries, etc., for relief of sick soldiers and soldiers' families, \$421.33. Total, \$1,470.39.

Salem Relief Committee.

The Salem Relief committee was the outcome of a public meeting called May 4, 1898, by David P. Waters, mayor of the city. The citizens met in the common council chamber at City hall, and organized by selecting Hon. John M. Raymond for chairman and Charles H. Danforth for secretary. A subscription paper was circulated and \$250 was raised.

On May 6 another meeting was held and the following permanent officers chosen: Hon. David P. Waters, chairman; Charles H. Danforth, secretary; George A. Shepard, treasurer.

Later in the career of the permanent committee its membership was increased to two hundred men, and this number was subdivided into various committees. The executive committee, upon which a good share of the work fell, was composed as follows: Hon. David P. Waters, Charles H. Danforth and George A. Shepard, at large; William H. Jelly, Hon. John D. H. Gauss and Daniel J. O'Brien, Ward One; Col. George R. Jewett, James F. Dean and Zina Goodell, Ward Two; Hon. Arthur L. Huntington, Mathew Robson and Jeremiah T. Mahoney, Ward Four; Hon. William M. Hill, Prof. Walter P. Beckwith and Rev. Alfred Manchester, Ward Five; Capt. William A. Hill, John J. Mack and George M. Harris, Ward Six.

Meetings of the executive committee were held at frequent intervals and many cases of suffering and want were, as far as possible, relieved.

The last meeting was April 3, 1899, when the committee, previous to adjourning, voted that the secretary have power to call a meeting when it was deemed necessary, and in this manner, the association, useful in time of need, died a peaceful death.

The report of George A. Shepard, treasurer, is as follows: Receipts, \$1,605.18. Expenditures, \$1,605.18, divided as follows: Clothing, shoes and personal equipment for soldiers, \$407.04;

printing and advertising, \$73.56; provisions and groceries furnished to families, \$900.26; coal, \$26.10; house rent, \$60; medicine for returned soldiers, \$82.60; direct aid, \$55.62.

Beverly Volunteer Aid Association.

The Beverly Volunteer Aid association was organized at the St. Peter's parish house, May 31, 1898, the representatives gathering in response to a call in the name of the Daughters of the Revolution. Miss Sarah E. Hunt made an address, and it was voted to organize and "to prepare and send to Co. E, Eighth Massachusetts Regiment, and to soldiers and sailors who may enroll from Beverly, such supplies as from time to time may prove useful. To do home relief work when found necessary. To aid, so far as in us lies, the central organization, the Mass. Volunteer Aid association, by money, hospital supplies, and any desired work."

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Charles E. Greenough, president; Mrs. Charles H. Andrews, first vice-president; Mrs. John W. Carter, second vice-president; Mrs. Charles Pickett, recording secretary; Miss L. Louise Girdler, corresponding secretary; Miss Annie M. Killam, treasurer, and an advisory board consisting of one lady from each church, and one from each woman's society in the town, making fifteen in all. Miss Hannah Rantoul, who was president of relief work in Beverly during the civil war, was made honorary president.

Immediately following organization, active work was begun. Twenty-four meetings were held from June 7 to Aug. 23, '98, inclusive. The average attendance was 80, and one afternoon 109 were present, all busily at work. After active work became unnecessary, the executive board continued to hold meetings irregularly, and kept the interest alive. When the boys came home sick (twenty-four in all), they were visited by the women and assisted in every way needful. One man was cared for at the hospital and two were furnished with hospital nurses. A Thanksgiving dinner for the family was sent to every boy (when necessary) who was home on furlough, and money was also sent Co. E for the same purpose. Every physician in Beverly gave his services.

The total amount of money received was \$827.76. Expended for supplies and material, \$319.99; in relief work, \$139.28, this including \$25 sent to Co. E for the hospital, and \$5 sent to Manila for the ice fund; \$342 sent to Hospital Ship "Bay State," and

\$26.49, the balance, was turned over to the emergency fund of John

H. Chipman. Jr., Relief corps.

The goods sent away included 541 articles sent to headquarters in Boston, and 360 handkerchiefs sent to Co. E, Eighth Regiment, at Chickamauga.

The Peabody Society.

Although the town of Peabody had no company raised within its borders during the Spanish-American war, many of her sons enrolled themselves in the Salem company of the Eighth Regiment, and also became identified with other organizations.

In keeping with other places the women of Peabody showed their patriotic spirit, and June 8, 1898, met in the selectmen's room at Town hall and organized the Peabody Volunteer Aid association and elected the following officers: Miss Sarah F. Kittredge, president; Miss Sabina E. Waite, first vice-president; Miss Mary A. Osborn, second vice-president; Mrs. Lyman P. Osborn, secretary; Miss Lucy L. Symonds, treasurer.

The organization went to work at once and labored faithfully all during the summer in the interests of the soldier boys. fourteen meetings were held, the largest attended one having thirtyseven present, while the smallest had thirteen, the average attendance being twenty-three.

In all \$497.22 was raised by popular subscription, in amounts ranging from 25 cents to \$15, and this entire amount was expended as follows: Massachusetts Volunteer Aid association, \$333.56; Capt. J. C. R. Peabody, Co. H, Eighth Regiment, \$50; freight to Chickamanga, \$10.25; for material for sewing, \$103.41. Total expenditures, \$497.22.

During its career 297 articles were sent to the Mass. Volunteer Aid society, and 136 articles sent to the Wayside hospital at Chicka-

mauga Park for Eighth Regiment boys.

Danvers Volunteer Aid Society.

On June 8, 1898, representatives from sixteen societies in Danvers met in Town hall in response to a call from the directors of the Danvers Women's association, to talk over some definite work for the soldiers and sailors engaged in the war with Spain.

AUTHOR'S NOTE.

Through some unaccountable error occurring between the copying of the records and the printing of the book, a mistake has been made in the name of Trooper W. H. Sanders. On the leaf opposite Page 52, under the cut, and on Pages 41 and 87, the name appears as Wellman H., when it should be William H.

H. E. WEBBER.



In Memoriam.



Miss Sarah E. Hunt called the meeting to order and explained the great need of work being done at once. It was voted to organize the "Danvers Volunteer Aid Society," and the following officers were elected: Miss Sarah W. Mudge, president; Mrs. Henry Newhall, secretary; Mrs. Augusta Juul, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. G. Frost, treasurer. It was further voted to allow any citizen of the town to become a member of the association upon the payment of twenty-five cents quarterly.

In all 220 members were enrolled upon the society books, paying from 25 cents to \$25 as their first assessment. The sum of \$204.65 was raised and expended. The society met twice a week at Unity chapel for work, and with the help of the home workers the contributions consisted of 754 articles.

A contribution of \$40 was made to the Massachusetts Volunteer Aid society; \$40 was sent to the Eighth Regiment to be used in caring for the sick, and the remainder was used in assisting returned soldiers. The war over, the opportunity for work ended and the society practically disbanded.

Marblehead Society.

The Marblehead Soldiers and Sailors Aid society was organized June 1, 1898, with the following officers: Miss Mary E. Graves, president; Mrs. Philip B. Laskey, vice-president; Miss Mary A. Alley, treasurer: Mrs. Lafayette Gregory, secretary.

The object of the society was to render assistance to the soldiers and sailors engaged in the war with Spain and to any of their families that might need help.

Clothing and hospital supplies were sent directly to the Marblehead company, C, Eighth Regiment, and also to the headquarters of the Massachusetts Volunteer Aid association. Soldiers at home on furlough were visited, and food, medicine and medical attendance were furnished whenever needed.

When Co. C returned home the ladies of the society assisted at the reception and banquet tendered to the soldiers, and each member of the company was presented with a bronze button bearing the inscription "Co. C, May 5, 1898, April 5, 1899."

Of the \$503.18 received from membership fees and donations, \$412.83 was spent for clothing, medicine, food, etc. When the society disbanded June 1, 1900, the balance of \$90.35 was divided among three charitable organizations in the town.



THE ROLL OF HONOR.

Co. A.—Sergt. John F. Balch, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Sept. 7.

Co. B.—Timothy Lamprey, Chickamauga, appendicitis, June 13; Kenneth G. Constine, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Sept. 3; Corp. George Patten, Amesbury, Mass., typhoid fever, Sept. 6; Rolvin G. Coombs, Lexington, Ky., typhoid fever, Sept. 18; Corp. Henry Higgins, Lexington, Ky., typhoid fever, Sept. 24; Thomas Sweeney, Lexington, Ky., malarial fever, Oct. 20.

Co. C.—Clarence L. Bartol, Chickamauga, heart disease, May 29; William H. Florence, Lexington, Ky., Bright's disease, Oct. 8; Charles W. Benson, Hospital Ship "Missouri," March 15.

Co. D.—Herbert O. Burnham, Chickamauga, pneumonia, May 28; John F. Dottridge, Lexington, Ky., typhoid fever, Sept. 6; George O. Cook, Dorchester, Mass., Sept. 22.

Co. F.—Sergt. Fred Thomas, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Sept. 6; Lewis F. Channell, Hospital Ship "Missouri," typhoid fever, March 3.

Co. G.—Corp. John M. Doran, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Aug. 4; George F. Walen, Lexington, Ky., typhoid fever, Sept. 19: William B. Cahoon, Lexington, Ky., peritonitis, Sept. 30; William D. Curley, Lexington, Ky., typhoid fever, Oct. 10.

Co. H.—Henry A. Deasey, Kingston, N.H., typhoid fever, Sept. 13; Corp. John H. Nichols, Lexington, Ky., typhoid fever, Sept. 17.

Co. I.—Lieut. Francis H. Downey, Lexington, Ky., pneumonia and fever, Oct. 24; Frank A. Hinckley, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Aug. 2; Walter D. Thompson, Chickamauga, malarial fever, Aug. 7; Joseph Pocket, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Aug. 26; Michael J. Hayes, Chickamauga, dysentery, Sept. 15.

Co. K.—Spencer S. Hobbs, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Aug. 19.

Co. L.—Harvey A. Dunn, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, July 18; John F. Hanson, Lexington, Ky., typhoid fever, Sept 22.

Co. M.—Corp. Clarence R. Stewart, Chickamauga, pneumonia, June 11; Sergt. Frank E. Draper, Chickamauga, typhoid fever, Sept. 2.



The Eighth Regiment.

Brief Sketches of the Local Companies and Complete Records of the Men.

The Eighth Massachusetts Regiment, known as the Essex county regiment, came into existence through General Order No. 4, dated Feb. 26, 1855. During the War of the Rebellion the regiment as a whole was mustered into the United States service three times. The first time was for a three months' service; the second for nine months' time, and the third time it being in the service from July 26 to Nov. 10, 1864. Its first service was rendered in opening the way to Washington; the second enlistment was spent in North Carolina and the third in the vicinity of Baltimore, Md.

April 28, 1898, the regiment was selected as one of the four commands to represent the state in the Spanish war.

Co. H, Eighth Regiment, U.S.V.

Co. H, Eighth regiment, Salem Light Infantry, was organized in 1805. It answered alarm calls during the War of 1812, but was not mustered into the service. During the War of the Rebellion it responded as a company three times, serving three months, nine months and 100 days enlistments. The first enlistment was as Co. J, Eighth regiment, the second as Co. A, Seventh regiment, and the third as the 13th Unattached company. April 28, 1898, it responded to the call for troops in the Spanish war, making the fourth time the company had entered the United States service.

- Reynolds, Augustus G., second lieut., May 11, '98; first lieut., Aug. 15; capt. April 12, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Peabody, Jacob C. R. (Danvers), capt. July 8, '98; discharged April 11, '99; capt. quartermaster's department, U. S. V., April 12, '99; discharged May 19, '99.
- Nichols, Walter P., capt., April 28, '98; resigned June 28, '98.
- Young, William F.; second lieut., Co. D, April 28, '98; first lieut., Co. H, April 12, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Jewett, George N., first lieut., April 28, '98; resigned August 11, '98.
- Pineau, Thomas O. H., enl first sergt., April 28, '98; discharged for promotion August 14; second licut., Co. II, August 15; must out April 28, '99.
- Adams, Charles H., enl June 27, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Ahearn, Arthur J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Anderson, John W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Aull, Samuel G., enl June 16, '98; corp., August 1; sergt., Feb. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Barrett, Jefferson F., enl April 28, '98; discharged for disability March 1, '99.
- Batchelder, Charles E. (Peabody), enl sergt. April 28, '98; discharged for disability Jan. 10, '99.
- Bixby, William A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Brine, Charles H., eul April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Brine, Lewis R. (Winchester), enl April 28, '98; discharged by order Sept. 28, '98.
- Burdett, Harold C. (Hingham), enl April 28, '98; corp. August 1; discharged by order Sept. 28, '98.
- Campbell, Frederick II., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Carbone, Anthony (Boston), enl Sixth regt. May 6, '98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth regt., Jan, 27, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Carroll, James T., enl April 28, '98; corp., Feb. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Casey, Michael W., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Caverly, Arthur S., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Claxton, James, enl June 16, '98; discharged for disability Feb. 25, '99.
- Cochrane, Percy W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Colleary, Michael E. (Marlboro), enl Co. F, Sixth regt., June 16, '98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth, Jan. 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Collins, John J., enl artificer April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Coombs, David W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Copeland, Henry P., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Cotter, Garrett T., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Cowern, Walter H. (Marlboro), enl Co. F, Sixth regt., May 6, '98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth, Jan. 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Curtin, John, enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

David, Frank, enl sergt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

DeComana, Mihran H. H. (Boston), enl June 16, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Nov. 4, '98; discharged April 20, '99.

Deasey, Henry A., enl June 16, '98; died in Pittsfield, N.H., while on sick furlough, Sept. 14, '98.

Dickey, Arthur L., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dickey, Asa R., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

DeMerritt, Elmwood (Boston), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dennis, Ellis L., enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9, '98; discharged April 17, '99.

Dow, Charles H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dow, Clarence G., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dow, Walter E., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Ferguson, Frank E. (Lynn), enl quartermaster sergt. April 28,'98; discharged for disability Feb. 27, '99.

Finney, Harold W. (Medford), enl April 28, '98; corp. August 1; discharged by order Sept. 11, '98.

Fitzgerald, John J., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Foley, James J., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Fuller, John I. (Danvers), enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. Sept. 1; must out April 28, '99.

Garrett, Thomas, Jr. (Staten Island, N.Y.), enl April 28, '98; discharged by order Sept. 10, '98.

Garrity, Thomas (Lowell), enl Sixth regt. May 6,'98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth, Jan. 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Goldthwaite, William B., enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99. (Died on board U. S. transport "Senator," enroute to Phillipines, Sept. 3, '99).

Graves, William W., enl July 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Gray, John C., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Griffin, John C. (Peabody), enl April 28, '98; corp. August 1; must out April 28, '99.

Gunnison, Fred L., enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
Hamilton, Frank L., enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. Feb. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Hawkins, Benjamin F., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Hefferman, Charles J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
Hefferman, Patrick J. (Haverhill), enl musician April 28, '98; transferred to band March 20, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Henneberry, Richard J., enl June 16, '98; discharged for disability Feb. 1, '99. (Died in Salem April 3, '99).

Hoberg, Frank A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Howe, Everett C. (Marlboro), enl Co. F, Sixth regt., May 6,'98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth, Jan. 7, '99; must out April 28, '99.

James, Daniel E., enl June 23, '98; discharged by order Feb. 7, '99.

Kane, Thomas, enl June 27, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Kelley, William P., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

King, James H., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Kirby, Edward J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Langmaid, Harry T., enl June 16, '98; corp. Oct. 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Lee, Arthur L. (Peabody), enl April 28, '98; discharged for disability Jan. 10, '99.

Lovett, George F., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

McCue, Fred W., enl April 28, '98; corp. Oct. 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

McInnis, John W., enl June 16, '98; corp. Feb. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

McLaughlin, Frank, enl corp. April 28, '98; discharged for disability Feb. 21, '99.

McNeill, Jesse P. (Peabody), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Maak, George A., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Mallard, Herbert F., enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., July 1; discharged Feb. 17, '99.

Milliken, Frank S., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Mitchell, William W., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Moore, Cornelius, enl July 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Murphy, Michael W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Murray, Ernest (right name Daniel E.), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Murray, John S., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Nichols, John H., enl May 5, '98; corp. Aug. 1,'98; died at James Blair Gibbs general hospital, Lexington, Ky., Sept. 17, '98.

Norwood, Herbert O., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

O'Connell, Thomas H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Ordway, Gardner E., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Osborne, John F. (Boston), transferred from band to Co. H, Eighth, Feb. 4, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Parker, Penual A., enl June 16, '98; corp. Nov. 9; must out April 28, '99.

Parsons, Arthur W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Parsons, Henry G., enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., July 1; discharged April 15, '99.

Pearson, Fred E., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Perkins, Edwin M. (right name Edwin H.), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. (Died at Mount Sunapee, N. H., Jan. 3, '01).

Phillips, Herbert N., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Pollock, George F., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Prall, Ralph T. (Cleveland, O.), enl April 28, '98; corp. Sept. 1; sergt. Feb. 1, '99; quartermaster sergt. Feb. 1; must out April 28, '99.

Raymond, Henry E., enl April 28, '98; corp. Feb. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Ready, Thomas H. (Ipswich), enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Reagan, John J., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Ricker, James E. (Peabody), enl wagoner April 28, '98; discharged for disability Jan. 10, '99.

Ring, James, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Robinson, Frank W., enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Rogers, Charles W. (Beverly), enl musician April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Rudderham, Howard C., enl June 16, '98; corp. Oct. 24; must out April 28, '99.

Ruggles, Harry C. (Marlboro), enl Co. F, Sixth regt., June 15, '98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth, Jan. 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Ryan, George A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Schwartz, Ardeen (Marlboro), enl Co. F, Sixth regt., May 6, '98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth, Jan. 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Semple, Frank (Beverly), enl April 28, '98; corp. March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Silver, Fayette O. (Boston), enl April 28, '98; discharged for disability Jan. 10, '99.

Smith, Nathaniel A. (Newton), enl May 5, '98; discharged for disability Oct. 12, '98.

Staten, Fred N., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Sweeney, Thomas L. (Peabody), enl June 16, '98; corp. (cook) Nov. 9; must out April 28, '99.

Sylvester, Robert G., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Tansey, Patrick I., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Thurston, Charles W. (Cambridge), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Turner, Harry A. (Boston) enl Sixth regt. May 6, '98; transferred to Co. H, Eighth, Jan. 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Upton, Thomas A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Vaughn, Alfred W. (Keene, N.H.), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Verry, Frank J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Wardwell, Henry F., enl corp. April 28, '98; discharged by order Nov. 4, '98.

Whelpley, Edgar J., enl sergt. April 28, '98; first sergt. Aug. 23; discharged for promotion Dec. 23; second lieut. Co. C, Dec. 24; must out April 28, '99.

White, Ernest C., enl sergt. April 28, '98; first sergt. Feb. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

White, James H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Whitford, Robert A. (Waltham), enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. V., Aug. 9; discharged Jan. 13, '99.

Wright, George S., enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Young, Ernest A. (Milton) enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.

Co. K, Eighth Regiment, U.S. V.

Co. K, Eighth regiment, known as the Danvers Light Infantry, was organized March 25, 1891, and was hardly eight years old when the call for troops for the Spanish war was received, and a ready

response was made. The company upon its return, after its year of service, was reorganized, but October 11, 1900, was disbanded on account of falling below the required standard of efficiency.

RECORDS CO. K. DANVERS.

- Chase, A. Preston, capt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- French, Henry W., first lieut. April 28, '98; resigned Sept. 1,'98.
- Bond, Stephen N. (Boston), second lieut, April 28, '98; first lieut. Sept. 15; resigned Oct. 25, '98.
- Jewell, David E. (Haverhill), second lieut. Co. F, April 28, '98; first lieut. Co. K, Dec. 16; must out April 28, '99.
- Whittier, David F. (Haverhill), enl first sergt. Co. F, April 28, '98; second lieut. Co. K, Sept. 16; must out April 28, '99.
- Adams, William F. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; deserted Jan. 5, '99.
- Blodgett, Walter A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Berry, Charles H. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Barrett, Harold D. (Rosendale), enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Buckley, Dennis (Haverhill), enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Best, George A. (Lynn), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Calley, Samuel, enl June 17, '98; transferred Hospital corps, U. S. A. August, '98.
- Clements, Eugene C. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; discharged for disability Oct. 10, '98.
- Chase, Benjamin W., enl first sergt., April 28, to Aug. 18, '98; sergt. August 18 to Nov. 20; discharged by order, Feb. 10'99.
- Connors, Maurice, enl June 17, '98; discharged for disability, October 10, '98.
- Curtis, Edward A. (Stowe), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28 '99.
- Campbell, George R., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Collins, John J. (Topsfield), enl quartermaster sergt. April 28,'98; must out April 28, '99.
- Crosby, Joseph B., enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Curtis, Oscar L., enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. Nov. 20; must out April 28, '99.

- Cahill, John F., enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Cook, Melvin, J. G., enl sergt. April 28, '98; first sergt. Jan. 22, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Carey, Thomas, enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Carey, John J. (Salem), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Connolly, Thomas, enl May 5, 98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Chisholm, Joseph W. (Peabody), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Collins, Peter F. (Salem), enl June 18,'98; must out April 28,'99.
- Dowd, Thomas E. (Somerville). enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Derby, Arthur P., enl sergt. April 28 to Aug. 17, '98; discharged by order Jan. 25, '99.
- Donohue, William (Salem), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Doyle, Thomas H. (Ipswich), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Duffy, Thomas F., enl corp. April 28 to Aug. 17, '98; corp. Jan. 1 to Feb. 26; must out April 28, '99.
- Dow, Eugene M. (Topsfield), enl April 28, '98; corp. August 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Earley, Willoughby P. (Middleton), enl April 28, '98; corp. Sept. 2; must out April 28, '99.
- Folsom, Fred B. (Peabody), enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. Feb. 11, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Fleming, William (Salem), enl June 30, '98; dishonorable discharge Feb. 25, '99.
- Fox, Fred J. (Haverhill), enl musician May 5, '98; discharged for disability Oct 25, '98.
- Floyd, Charles F. (Middleton), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Fardy, Bernard F. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Fogarty, James J. (Peabody), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Funke, Arthur E., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Gorman, James (Melrose), enl June 16, '98; artificer Nov. 10; must out April 28, '99.
- Griffin, Ernest J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Goodale, Harry J., enl April 28, '98; corp. Sept. 2 to Dec. 26; corp. April 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.



Bugler Spencer S. Hobbs, Co. K. Died August 19, 1898.



- Howe, Samuel (Topsfield), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Hobbs, Spencer S., enl musician April 28, '98; died at Third Division hospital, First Army corps, Chickamauga Park, Ga., Aug. 19, '98.
- Hatstatt, Ernest T. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9, '98.
- Haddock, Leslie B. (Haverhill), enl April 28, '98; discharged by order as musician March 11, '99.
- Howlett, Stephen F., enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Howell, James A., enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Harrigan, John (Salem), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Harris, Allen J. (Melrose), enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Hafey, James H. (Salem), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Jackman, James W. (Topsfield), enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; sergt. Aug. 18; first sergt. Aug. 18; discharged for promotion Jan. 22, '99; second lieut. Co. B Jan. 23; must out April 28, '99.
- Jackson, Isaac B. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Jacques, Alphonso, enl April 28, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Jacques, Arthur H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Knight, Charles A. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Kelly, Jeremiah J. (Haverhill), enl May 5, 98; must out April 28, '99.
- Lee, James J. (Middleton), enl April 28, '98; transferred Reserve Ambulance company, First Army corps, July 1, '98.
- Little, Frank W., enl artificer April 28 to Nov. 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Lovelace, Clifford E., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Lebel, Octave (Salem), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McGrath, David (Salem), enl June 30, '98; discharged for disability Oct. 22, '98.
- Meade, John J., enl April 28, '98; must out as musician April 28, '99.
- Martin, James H. (Middleton), enl sergt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

- Marshall, William H., enl April 28, '98; discharged by order Jan. 25, '99.
- McGovern, Charles, enl April 28, '98; discharged for disability Jan. 11, '99.
- Marston. Daniel W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McFarland, Frank W. (Beverly), enl May 5, '98; corp. Aug. 1 to Dec. 26; must out April 28, '99.
- Marshall, John R. G. (Somerville), enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Mack, Daniel (Somerville), enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99. Meskill, Thomas H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McLean, John A. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Manning, John H., enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McGuigan, James A., enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McGrath, Patrick, enl June 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Maguire, John J. (Salem), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Mahoney, Jeremiah J. (Milford), enl Co. M, Sixth regt., May 6, '98; transferred Co. K, Eighth, Jan. 6, '99: must out April 28, '99.
- Martin, John J. (Milford), enl Co. M, Sixth regt., May 6, '98; transferred Co. K, Eighth, Jan. 6, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Nimblett. Joseph A., enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Nolan, John T. (Lawrence), enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Neil, John J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Hara, John J., enl April 28, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Hare, Henry (Salem), enl June 18, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Orne, Edward L. (Peabody), enl corp. April 28 to Sept. 14, '98; corp. Feb. 11, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Perry, Charles H. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Potter, Charles H. (Topsfield), enl April 28, '98; corp. (cook) Nov. 18; must out April 28, '99.
- Parker, Charles J. (Newburport), enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Peterson, Levi S. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Peters, Edward W. A. (Somerville), enl April 28,'98; discharged for disability Feb. 9, '99.

- Page, Louis C., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. (Died in Danvers April 21, 1900).
- Patterson, Fred C. (Boston), enl Co. H, Sixth regt., May 6, '98; transferred to Co. K, Eighth, Jan. 7, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Rooney, John F., enl corp. April 28 to Aug. 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Robblee, Minot P. (Salem), sergt. April 28 to Dec. 26, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Richardson, William W. (Middleton), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Reynolds, Joseph W., enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Reedy, Edward F. (Ipswich), enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Rabbitt, Michael C., enl Co. H, Sixth regt., May 6,'98; transferred to Co. K, Eighth, Jan. 7, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Robbins, Harry (Somerville), enl May 5, '98; transferred Reserve Ambulance company, First Army corps, July 1, '98.
- Strout, Fred E. (Peabody), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Smiley, Bertrand C. (Peabody), enl June 17, '98; corp. Sept. 2; must out April 28, '99
- Seaward, Ralph E. (Haverhill), enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Scott, Albert J. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Sullivan, John B., enl wagoner April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Sullivan, John F., enl April 28, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Smith, George W. C. (Somerville), enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1, '98, to Feb. 26, '99; corp. April 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Smith, Martin P., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Segal, Isaac (Salem), enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Shallow, Patrick (Salem), enl June 30,'98; must out April 28,'99.
- Stringer, Edward (Peabody), enl July 6, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Saul, John H. (Salem), enl July 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Taylor, Harold C. (Topsfield), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Terry, James P. (Somerville), enl May 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Van Iderstein, Harry (Boxford), enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.

Wrest, James, enl June 30,'98; corp. Aug. 1; sergt. Feb. 11,'99; must out April 28, '99.

Watson, Thomas F., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Co. C, Eighth Regiment, U.S. V.

Co. C, Eighth regiment, locally known as the Marblehead Light Infantry, was organized in 1809, the exact date not being known. During the War of the Rebellion the company responded three times, serving three months, nine months and 100-day enlistments, and once having the honor to be the first company to report for duty at Boston. April 28, 1898, the company responded to the call for troops for the Spanish War. The company upon its return was reorganized, but May 26, 1900, having fallen below the required standard of efficiency, was disbanded.

RECORDS OF CO. C, MARBLEHEAD.

Pettengill, James M. (Amesbury), first lieut. Co. B April 28, '98; captain Co. C Jan. 3, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Denning, Frank B., second lieut. April 28, '98; captain May 11, '98; resigned Dec. 9, '98.

Smith, Frederic L. (Dedham), second lieut. May 10, '98; first lieut. Jan. 4, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Wardwell, Linville H. (Beverly), first lieut May 11, '98; resigned Dec. 13, '98.

Whelpley, Edgar J. (Salem), enl sergt. April 28, '98; first sergt. Aug. 23; discharged for promotion Dec. 23; second lieut. Dec. 24; must out April 28, '99.

Bartol, Arthur W., enl April 28, '98; corp. Oct. 22; must out April 28, '99.

Bartol, Clarence L., enl April 28, '98; died regimental hospital, Chickamauga Park, Ga., May 29, '98.

Benson, Charles W. (Haverhill), enl musician April 28, '98; died on Hospital Ship Missouri, off Cuba, March 15, '99.

Bagley, Thomas W. F. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; discharged Oct. 4, '98.

Ballard, Harry C., enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Ballard, Waldo P., enl quartermaster sergt. April 28 to Dec. 21, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Broderick, Patrick Jr., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Birmingham, Thomas J., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Boyden, Arthur C. (Swampscott), enl June 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Campbell, James N. (Haverhill), enl musician April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Cahill, James J., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Coates, William W., enl June 24, '98; discharged Dec. 20, '98.

Chapman, Arthur, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Chapman, Lewis H. A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Carroll, William D., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Cahoon, James A., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Casey, Daniel M. (Swampscott), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Crane, Michael J. (Salem), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Collins, John C. enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Connell, Harry (Swampscott), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Cook, Charles E. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Cook, Monroe E. (Worcester), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Curwen, James H. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Doe, Charles F.. enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dailey, William F., enl April 28, '98: must out April 28, '99.

Dennis, William F., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dixey, John G., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dixey, William F., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Doherty, George V. (Somerville), July 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Doherty, Charles E., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Doliber, Ashton, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dugan, Daniel H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Dryden, Dennis (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Florence, William H., enl June 24, '98; died at James Blair Gibbs General hospital, Lexington, Ky., Oct. 8, '98.

Freeman, Frank B., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Florence, Gerry G., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Frost, Frank T., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Frost, Arthur D., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Gleason, William H., enl corp. April 28, '98; discharged Jan. 4, '99.

Granger, Samuel G., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Graves, Charles H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Graves, Fred L., enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Goss, Joseph H. (Lynn), cui April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Gosselin, Alfred W. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Hathaway, Stephen, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Hathorne, James F., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Henry, James F. (Salem), enl June 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Henry, James J. (Salem), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Huntington, George D. (Amesbury), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Imbeault, Joseph, enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Imperial, Albert F., enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; sergt. March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

January, Samuel M. (Lynn), enl June 28, '98; corp. March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Kelley, John W., enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.

Kiley, William H., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Keegan, Charles J. (Salem), enl May 10, '98; discharged Jan. 6, '99.

Kane, John J. (Brockton), enl May 10, '98; discharged Jan. 6, '99.

Knowland, Fred B., enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9, '98.

Lent, Jesse G., enl sergt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Lahey, John J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Love, Patrick J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Lundergan, Edward J. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Lyons, Thomas P., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Maley, Charles E. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Mackey, Michael A. (Salem), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

- McKenna, Daniel F. (Milford), enl Sixth regt. April 24, '98; transferred to Co. C, Eighth, Jan. 7, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Mercier, Jules J. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Melanson, Leander (Marlboro), enl Sixth regt. April 24, '98; transferred to Co. C, Eighth, Jan. 7, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- McHugh, John J., enl June 24. '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McNulty, Charles J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Monroe, Archibald M., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McDonald, Stephen, enl wagoner April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Mahoney, John W., enl sergt. April 28, '98; quartermaster-sergt. Dec. 25; must out April 28, '99.
- Mitchell, Benjamin, enl June 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Morse, Frank E., enl June 24, '98; discharged March 17, '99.
- Nutting, John H. (Wakefield), enl Sixth regt. June 24, '98; transferred to Co. C, Eighth, Dec. 31; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Brien, Daniel J. (Salem), enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Brien, Timothy J. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Osgood, Fred H., enl sergt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Phalen, Martin M. (Salem), enl June 28, '98; must out April
- 28, '99.
 Phillips, John, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Punchard, J. Frank, enl artificer from April 28 to Nov. 22, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Pierce, Cornelius, enl first sergt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Peach, Harry S., enl sergt. from April 28 to June 16, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Robbins, Frederick L. (Lynn), enl April 28, '98; corp. July 15; must out April 28, '99.
- Ryan, Thomas P. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Robbins, Charles S., enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; deserted Sept. 19, '98.
- Reddy, John A. (Amesbury), enl May 10, '98; corp. March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Roades, Thomas H. Jr., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Ronan, Patrick, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Rowe, Leonard, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Sandwich, James T., enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. July 12; must out April 28, '99.

Smith, Frank M., enl corp. April 28 to Oct. 3, '98; corp. March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Selman, Andrew M., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Shattuck, William G., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Sicard, Amand V. (Lowell), enl Sixth regt. April 24, '98; transferred to Co. C, Eighth, Dec. 31; must out April 28, '99.

Stevens, George O. (Swampscott), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Sweeney, Michael (Salem), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Smith, Frank O., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Snow, Charles C., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Symonds, Herbert N., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Spurr, George G. Jr., enl April 28, '98; artificer Nov. 20; must out April 28, '99.

Savory, George H., enl musician April 28, '98; discharged Feb. 15, '99.

Talham, George F. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; deserted Sept. 12, '98.

Taylor, William A., enl April 28, '98; corp. March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Thompson, William P. (Swampscott), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Valley, Edward R., enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Weed, Wallace D., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Widger, Charles H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Whitney, Charles R. (Hyde Park), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Worcester, William C. (Lynn), enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.

West, Walter S. (Kingston, N. H.), enl May 10, '98; discharged Feb. 6, '99.

Woodfin, John S., enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., July 16, '98.



Salem Officers, other than 8th Regiment.



Co. E, Eighth Regiment, U. S. V.

Co. E, Eighth regiment, locally known as the Beverly Light infantry, claims to trace its origin back to Oct. 17, 1800, but the present company was really organized Oct. 20, 1814. On March 1, 1855, is found the first record of its being attached to the Eighth regiment. During the War of the Rebellion the company responded five times, serving three months, nine months, 90 day, 100 day and one year enlistments. April 28, 1898, it responded to the call for troops in the Spanish war.

RECORDS CO. E, BEVERLY.

- Stopford, Frederick W., capt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Farnham, Charles H., first lieut. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- DeSousa, Francis A., second lieut., April 28, '98; discharged for promotion Dec. 16, '98; first lieut. Co. I, Dec. 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Harvey, Loran J. (Lynn), first sergt. Co. I, April 28, '98; discharged for promotion Dec. 15; second lieut. Co. E, Dec. 16, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Anderson, Albert A. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1 to 19, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Andrews, Wallace A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Barnard, George E. (Salem), enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Barry, Thomas F. (Peabody), enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Batchelder, George D., enl June 14, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Bickford, Fred H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Birmingham, Walter J. (Salem), enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Bray, Ferdinand W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Beeman, Iver C. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; discharged Feb. 17, '99.
- Burke, Louis (Salem), cnl June 23, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9, '98.
- Brennan, Leslie A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Brock, Arthur S., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Butman, Clarence P., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

- Butman, William E., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Colson, William L., enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. April 15, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Clark, Frank B., enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Clark, Charles A., enl wagoner April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Campbell, John A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Chapman, John C., enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Creamer, Benjamin F., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Cronin, John A. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April
- Cronin, John A. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Collins, Roscoe J., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Conroy, Daniel A. (Peabody), June 20, '98; must out April 28; '99.
- Coughlin, Edward M. (Webster), enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Cresoe, George H., enl April 28, '98; deserted and captured at Beverly Dec. 2, '98; dishonorable discharge March 2, '99.
- Church, John P. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., July 1, '98.
- Carlton, Harry R. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital Corps, U. S. A., July 1, '98.
- Dailey, Harry F., enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1 to Dec. 17; must out April 28, '99.
- Doolen, Daniel J. (Salem), enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Dillon, James F. (Peabody), enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Dow, Thomas W. (Manchester), enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Dutra, Frank T., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Egan, William F. (Salem), enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Fleet, Roland F., enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Nov. 15, '98.
- Foster, Alonzo G., enl sergt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Frazer, Thomas J., enl sergt. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Farrell, David E. (Marblehead), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Fiske, Lewis W., enl June 14, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Feb. 19, '99.

Fitzgerald, Thomas E. (Marlboro), enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Flint, Arthur L., enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Hathaway, Walter H., enl first sergt. April 28 to Oct. 1, '98; sergt. Oct. 1; must out April 28, '99.

Haskell, William R. (Ipswich), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Hanson, Paul P. (Essex), enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1 to Dec. 2; must out April 28, '99.

Hazlett, Walter H. (Hamilton), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Heath, Melvin A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Herrick, Everett A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Hoogerzeil, William H., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Jellison, Frank L., enl April 28, '98; discharged Jan. 6, '99.

Jones, Warren F. (Wenham), enl June 14,'98; must out April 28, '99.

Johnson, Adna B. (Salem), enl June 23, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9, '98.

Keenan, Hugh J. (Lawrence), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Kingsley, Frederick S. (Salem), enl April 28,'98; must out April 28,'99.

Kenaley, James F., enl June 23, '98; discharged Feb. 9, '99.

Kimball, Kenneth E. (Ipswich), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Lanctot, Joseph A. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; corp. April 15, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Lane, Thomas P. (Lynn), enl June 23,'98; must out April 28,'99. Laraway, Ernest A. (Haverhill), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Lee, Henry W., enl June 14, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Libby, Walter A., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Little, William H. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

LeDuc, William H. (Stoneham), enl Sixth regt. May 6,'98; transferred to Co. E, Eighth, Dec. 22, '98; must out April 28,'99.

Mack, Albert F., enl May 10, '98; discharged Oct. 22, '98.

McRae, Harry, enl April 28, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Magner, Jesse M., enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 20; reduced, and reappointed March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

- Magner, David F., enl quartermaster sergt. April 28, '98, to April 13, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Maurais, Wilfred A. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- MacLeod, George I. (Boston), enl Sixth regt. June 15, '98; transferred to Co. E, Eighth, Dec. 22; must out April 28, '99.
- McLaughlin, John J. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Meagher, James J. (Webster), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Murphy, Michael J. (Salem), enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Noble, Shirley C., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Norton, Charles E. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Connell, John J. (Lynn), enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Leary, James A. (Salem), enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Palky, Phillipe (Salem), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99. Paul, Herbert A. (Lynn), enl June 14, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Pierce, Fred E., enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Prentiss, Harris B., enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Purcell, William J. (Somerville), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Robertson, Charles H., enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Rice, Henry H. (Pittsfield), enl May 10, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Rowe, Oscar W. (Haverhill), enl musician April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Ralph, Charles (Ipswich), enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Robertson, Alexander, enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. Nov. 25; discharged for promotion Dec. 16; second lieut. Co. F Dec. 17; must out April 28, '99.
- Reed, John W., enl June 15, '98; must ont April 28, '99.
- Roberts, James H. (Salem), enl June 15, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Ryan, Joseph (Peabody), enl June 23,'98; must out April 28,'99. Roche, John H. (Salem), enl June 23,'98; must out April 28,'99.

- Russell, Norman F. (Salem), enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9, '98; transferred back to Co. E, Feb. 9, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Standley, Edward A., enl sergt. April 28, '98; first sergt. Oct. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Stanley, Arthur L., enl corp. April 28, '98; sergt. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Schade, Harry D., enl sergt. April 28 to Nov. 25, '98; corp. Nov. 25; must out April 28, '99.
- Stone, Warren E. (Marblehead), enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Smith, Roland K. (Hamilton), enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Smith, Russell K., enl April 28, '98; corp. April 15, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Sweetman, William D., enl musician April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Stanley, Arthur, enl June 16, '98; discharged March 21, '99.
- Simpson, John G., enl corp. April 28, '98, to April 13, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Skane, Richard A., enl May 10, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., July 1, '98.
- Sweetser, Frederic J., enl April 28,'98; transferred to band March 20, '99.
- Spaulding, Frank A. (Lynn), enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Tufts, George B. (Lynn), enl June 23,'98; must out April 28,'99. Waggott, William O., enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Wheeler, Frank B., enl June 14, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Williams, George S., enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 20; must out April 28, '99.
- White, Frank H. (Lynn), enl June 23, '98; corp. (cook) Dec. 6; must out April 28, '99.
- Washer, Carlos J., enl April 28, '98; must out as artificer April 28, '99.
- Williams, Ezra W., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99; died in Manila, P. I., Nov., 1900.
- White, Edward A. (Cambridge), enl May 10, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Woodberry, Frank L., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Woodbury, Roland S., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Other Salem Men.

Besides the sons who enlisted in the Eighth Massachusetts, Salem had many others in various departments of the army. In all upwards of 300 Salem men served during the war, and a representative could be found in almost every branch of the service. As far as possible the records of these men have been secured, and are included in the following list:

Ahearn, John P., master-at-arms, U. S. Repair Ship "Vulcan," enl May 10, '98; discharged Jan. 15, '99.

Ahearn, Timothy, U. S. S. Newport, enl July 16, '97.

Anderson, Albert J., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1 to Aug. 19; must out April 28, '99.

Anderson, William J., Co. I, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Barnard, George E., Co. E, Eighth, enl July 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Bartlett, John P., Co. F, Eighth, enl July 7, '98; discharged for disability Jan. 5, '99.

Beeman, Iver C., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; discharged Feb. 17, '99.

Birmingham, Walter J., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Brady, William II., Co. A, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Brainard, Charles H., Co. A, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Bray, George, Co. II, First Maine infantry, enl May 12, '98; must out Oct. 14, '98.

Brown, Lewis F., Battery B, First Mass. Heavy Artillery, enl corp. May 9, '98; sergt. Nov. 1; must out Nov. 14, '98.

Brown, Thomas, U. S. S. "Chicago," enl April 4, '98.

Burke, Louis, Co. E, Eighth, enl June 23, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9; discharged April 20, '99.

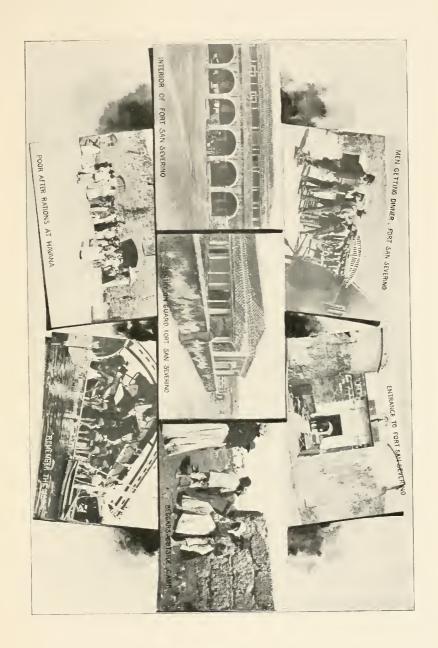
Cahill, Francis, U. S. S. "Maine"; enl Dec. 19, '96; blown up in explosion of U. S. S. "Maine," Havana harbor, Cuba, Feb. 15, '98, and badly injured; discharged Nov. 10, '99.

Cally, Samuel, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 17, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9; discharged May 10, '99.

Carcy, John J., Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99. (Died in Salem, Aug. 11, 1900.)

- Carlton, Harry R., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., July 1; discharged Feb. 13, '99.
- Carroll, Stephen F., Co. D, Eighth, enl June 27, '98; discharged by order March 4, '99.
- Carver, Vener A., Co. A, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Cashman, Andrew A., Co. G., Sixth Mass. infantry, enl musician May 6, '98; must out Jan. 21, '99.
- Cass, John H., U. S. navy, enl June 18, '98; discharged Nov. 14, '98.
- Chambers, Michael A., engineer (rank of licutenant), auxiliary navy, appointed June 23, '98; discharged Nov. 23, '98.
- Church, John P., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., July 1; discharged April 3, '99.
- Churchill, Henry, U. S. S. Massachusetts, enl Dec. 19, '96.
- Clapp, Arthur W., Co. F, Sixth Mass. infantry, enl May 6, '98; must out Jan. 21, '99.
- Cleary, George R., Battery D, First Mass. Heavy artillery, enl May 9, '98; must out Nov. 14, '98.
- Clynes, Frank M., Co. D, Fifth Mass. infantry, enl July 1, '98; must out March 31, '99.
- Clynes, Thomas, U. S. S. Iowa, enl April 2, '98.
- Cochrane, William A., Co. D, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Cogswell, William, major (surgeon) Eighth, April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Collins, John E., Co. G, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Collins, Peter F., Co. K, Eighth, enl June 18,'98; must out April 28, '99.
- Collins, Roscoe J., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Connors, Edward F., Co. D, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Connors, Joseph H., Co. D, Eighth, enl June 20, '98; discharged for disability Oct. 10, '98.
- Conroy, John, U. S. S. Eagle, enl April 2, '98; discharged Oct. 24, '98.
- Conway, Arthur, U. S. S. Lebanon, enl March 28,'98; discharged Dec. 28, '99.
- Cottle, Henry, Co. G, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.

- Coughlin, Edward M., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Craig, Robert A., Co. B, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Crane, Michael J., Co. C, Eighth, enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Crean, Dennis, U. S. S. Newport, enl July 16, '97.
- Crean, James, Co. A, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Cresoe, George H, Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; reported as deserter and arrested at Beverly, Dec. 2; dishonorable discharge March 2, '99.
- Cronin, John A, Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28,'98; must out April 28,'99.
- Curwen, James H., Co. C, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Dalrymple, Oscar K., Co. G, Sixth U. S. V. infantry (Immunes), enl July 8, '98; must out March 15, '99.
- Dalton, Arthur T., Battery D, First Mass. Heavy artillery, enl Aug. 1, '98; must out Nov. 14, '98; re-enlisted Co. F, Ninth U. S. infantry, Nov. 21, '98; corp. Jan. 10, '99.
- Dalton, Harry F., second lieut. Co. D, Ninth U. S. infantry, July 9, '98; first lieut. 19th U. S. infantry, July 11, '99.
- Dexter. Oliver R., Battery L, Seventh U. S. artillery, enl April 26, '98; discharged as sergt. Dec. 10, '98; re-enlisted Troop D, Fourth U. S. cavalry, March 6, '99; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., May 6, '99.
- Doherty, Charles E., Co. C, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Donahue, William, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Doolen, Daniel J., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Dugan, Daniel H, Co. C, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Dutra, Frank T., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28,'98; must out April 28, '99.
- Egan, William F., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 20,'98; must out April 28, '98.
- Egell, Henry L., first lieut. Co. D, First Washington infantry, April 30, '98; must out Nov. 1, '99.





- Fleming, William H., Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; dishonorable discharge Feb. 25, '99.
- Ford, William P., Co. A, Seventh U. S. infantry, enl May 25,'98; discharged Feb. 23, '99.
- Gardner, William, Co. K, 17th U. S. infantry, enl Feb. 28, '99.
- Garvey, James J., Co. A, 21st U. S. infantry, enl July 28, '97.
- Gaudet, Wilfred, Co. E, Second Mass. infantry, enl musician May 3, '98; must out Nov. 3, '98.
- Goodhue, Robert W., Co. D, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Gorman, William, U. S. S. Wasp, enl June 9, '98; discharged Oct. 11, '98.
- Gosson, Patrick H., Co. I, 69th New York infantry, enl June 24, '98; must out Jan. 31, '99.
- Gray, George P., U. S. navy, enl Dec. 17, '91; discharged May 17, '96; re-enlisted Oct. 5, '96; discharged Oct. 4, '97; re-enlisted Dec. 30, '97; discharged as chief boatswain's mate Dec. 29, '98; re-enlisted Jan. 17, '99.
- Griswold, John M., U. S. S. Brooklyn, enl July 26, '97.
- Griswold, Reuben L., U. S. S. Alliance, enl Aug. 27, '97; discharged March 21, '99.
- Hafey, James H., Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30,'98; must out April 28, '99.
- Hale, Joseph, Co. I, Fifth Mass. infantry, enl April 19, '61; must out July 31,'61; re-enlisted Co. B, 11th U. S. infantry, Aug. 10, '61, and served as corp., sergt. and first sergt.; discharged for promotion May 25,'64; second lieut. Third U. S. infantry, May 26, '64; first lieut. March 21, '65; capt. Co. G, March 2,'85; died at St. Lukes Hospital, New York city, Oct. 12,'98.
- Hall, Oscar F., Co. A, Eighth, enl July 5, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9; discharged Jan. 16, '99.
- Hanson, Paul P., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1 to Dec. 2; must out April 28, '99.
- Harrigan, John, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Harris, Arthur G., Co. D, Ninth U. S. infantry, enl April 5, '99. Hathaway, Walter H., Co. E, Eighth, enl first sergt. April 28 to Sept. 30, '98; must out as sergt. April 28, '99.
- Hayes, Maurice, U. S. S. Machias, enl April 24, '98.
- Heenan, Martin, U. S. S. Columbia, enl March 28, '98.
- Heffernan, John T., Co. I, Eighth, enl May 9,'98; must out April 28, '99.

- Henry, James F., Co. C, Eighth, enl June 28,'98; must out April 28, '99.
- Henry, James J., Co. C, Eighth, enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Henry, Michael J., Co. E, First Illinois infantry, enl April 26,'98; must out Oct. 10,'98.
- Hennessey, David S., U. S. navy, enl 1879; acting boatswain Dec. 5, '94; boatswain Feb. 15, '96; died at Trenton, N. J., Nov. 19, '99.
- Herlihy, John, U. S. S. Machias, enl March 26, '98.
- Herlihy, Patrick F., Battery F, Seventh U. S. artillery, enl May 7, '98; discharged Feb. 24, '99.
- Hill, Albert R., Co. E, First Mass. Heavy artillery, enl May 9, '98; must out Nov. 14, '98.
- Hooks, Henry, U. S. S. Cincinnati, enl April 2, '98.
- Hooks, Martin F., U. S. S. New York, enl April 2, '98; deserted Sept. 5, '98.
- Imbeault, Joseph, Co. C, Eighth, enl June 24,'98; must out April 28, '99.
- Ingoldsby, James, Hospital corps, U. S. A., enl July 11, '98; discharged Feb. 8, '99.
- Ireland, William, U. S. S. Lebanon, enl May 2, '98; discharged Nov. 19, '98.
- Isles, Delbert D., Battery F, Second U. S. artillery, enl April 14, '98; dishonorable discharge April 15, '99.
- Jackson, Isaac B., Co. K, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; discharged for disability Jan. 4, '99.
- Jackson, Thomas E., Co. F, Sixth Mass. infantry, capt. May 6, '98; must out Jan 21, '99.
- Jenkins, William, U. S. S. Newport, enl July 16, '97.
- Johnson, Adna B., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 23, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9; discharged Jan. 19, '99.
- Johnson, Ralph S., Troop B, Second U. S. V. cavalry (Torrey's Rough Riders), enl May 1, '98; discharged Sept. 5, '98. (Died in Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 11, '98.)
- Kanney, James, Co. K, Sixth Mass. infantry, enl May 6, '98; must out Jan. 21, '99.
- Keegan, Charles J., Co. C, Eighth, enl May 10, '98; discharged Jan. 6, '99.
- Kingsley, Frederick S., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

- Kingsley, George S., Co. B, Seventh U. S. infantry, enl May 2, '98. (Died at Chelsea Marine hospital, Chelsea, Mass., Sept. 22, '98.)
- Knight, Charles A., Co. K, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Lanctot, Joseph A., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; corp. April 14, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Lebel, Octave, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 29, '99.
- Lefebure, Edward A., Co. B, Eighth, enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Levis, William F., Sixth U. S. cavalry, enl Feb. 2, '99.
- Little, William H., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Lovett, Stephen Lou, U. S. S. Montgomery, enl buglar Aug. 15, '95; discharged May 14, 1900.
- Lundergan, Edward J., Co. C, Eighth, enl April 28,'98; must out April 28,'99.
- McCarthy, Dennie J., U. S. S. San Francisco, enl May 18, '98; discharged Oct. 23, '98.
- McCarthy, James, U. S. Monitor Amphitrite, enl April 2, '98.
- McCarthy, John, Co. B, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McCarthy, Richard F., Co. A, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McCarthy, Timothy, U. S. S. Ciucinnati, enl June 30, '97.
- McGrath, David, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 18, '98; discharged for disability Oct. 22, '98.
- McHugh, John J., Co. C, Eighth, enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McLaughlin, John J., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McMahon, Wiliiam H., Co. A, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- McShane, James B., Co. A, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Mackay, Charles W., U. S. S. Columbia, enl March 24, '98.
- Mackay, Michael A., Co. C, Eighth, enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Magner, Jesse M., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 20; reduced and re-appointed corp. March 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.

Magrin, James H., Co. I, Seventh U. S. infantry, enl May 16, '98; discharged Feb. 18, '99.

Maguire, John J., Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Mahoney, John, U. S. S. Philadelphia, enl March 24, '98.

Mahoney, John P., U. S. navy, enl Sept. 30, '85; discharged Nov. 24, '88; re-enlisted Dec. 5, '88; discharged as boatswain's mate, first class, Sept. 14, '94; re-enlisted July, '96; appointed master's mate April 15, '98; boatswain April 10, '99.

Mansfield, Henry C., Co. E, First Volunteer Engineer regiment, enl June 22, '98; discharged Jan. 15, '99.

Manson, James A., Co. I, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Marley, John, U. S. S. Lebanon, enl April 2, '98.

Maurais, Wilfred A., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Maxfield, Joseph E., U. S. Signal corps, enl Jan. 4, '82, and rose to rank of sergt.; discharged for promotion July 21, '84; second lieut. July 22, '84; first lieut. Dec. 19, '90; capt. July 22, '98; major Feb. 18,'01; major (volunteer service) May 20, '98; lieut. col. July 18, '98; discharged April 17, '99; major April 17, '99.

Mignult, Thomas B., Battery M, Seventh U. S. artillery, enl May 7, '98; dishonorably discharged Sept. 29, '98.

Miller, James, Co. B, 50th Mass. regiment, enl Sept. 11, '62; discharged Aug. 24, '63; second lieut. Fourth Mass. cavalry Jan. 9, '64; first lieut. Feb. 8, '64; discharged Nov. 14, '65; second lieut. 16th U. S. infantry Feb. 23, '66; first lieut. July 28, '66; transferred to Second U. S. infantry April 17, '69; capt. June 7, '79; major 20th U. S. infantry April 26, '98.

Mitchell, William H., Troop D, First U. S. V. cavalry (Roosevelt's Rough Riders), enl May 5, '98; transferred to Troop K May 11; must out Sept. 15, '98.

Morse, Frank E., Co. C, Eighth, enl June 24, '98; discharged for disability March 17, '99.

Mossauer, Anthony C., U. S. Hospital corps, enl June 7, '98; discharged March 23, '99.

Mullen, Lawrence (right name Dennis Mullen), Co. D, Eighth, enl June 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.

Murphy, Henry, U. S. S. New York, enl May 16, '98; discharged June 25, '99.





- Murphy, Michael J., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Murphy, William, U. S. S. St. Paul, enl March 28, '98.
- Nagle, David, U. S. S. Lebanon, enl April 9, '98; discharged April 10, '99.
- Niland, John, U. S. Monitor Amphitrite, enl March 29, '98; discharged Dec. 12, '98.
- Norton, Charles E., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Nutter, Harry, Connecticut Naval brigade, enl in second division, June 6, '98; acting quartermaster July 15; discharged Aug. 24, '98.
- O'Brien, Daniel J., Co. C, Eighth, enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Connell, Jeffery J., Co. A, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Connor, John S., Co. A, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Hare, Henry, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 18, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Leary, James A., Co. E, Eighth, cnl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- O'Mahoney, Daniel J., Co. I, Ninth Mass. infantry, enl April 28, '98; corp. Oct. 15; must out Nov. 26, '98.
- Packard P. Frank, Battery K, First Mass. Heavy artillery, first lieut. May 9, '98; must out Nov. 14, '98.
- Page, Frank L., Co. B, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Palky, Phillipe, Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Parsons, William, Co. H, 71st New York infantry, enl June 28, '98; must out Nov. 15, '98; re-enlisted Co. L, Sixth U. S. infantry, Nov. 22, '98.
- Peach, Harry S., Co. C, Eighth, enl sergt. April 28 to June 16, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Perkins, Charles F., regimental quartermaster-sergt., enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Perkins, Frederic D, Co. E, First New Hampshire infantry, enl May 7, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., June 29; discharged Jan. 3, '99.
- Perkins, Horace K., U. S. Hospital ship Solace, enl June 3, '98; discharged Jan. 18, '99.

- Pew, William A. Jr., Eighth Mass. infantry, colonel April 28, '98; commanded Second Brigade, Third Division, First Corps, May 19 to June 29; commanded Second Brigade, First Corps, Oct. 28–30; commanded Second Brigade, Second Division, Nov. 1–3, also Dec. 17–24, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Phalen, Martin M., Co. C, Eighth, enl June 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Pierce, Charles F., U. S. navy, enl May 7, '89; chief boatswain May 1, '99.
- Pierce, Lorenzo Jr., U. S. Marine corps, enl April 11, '98; discharged May 3, '99.
- Plander, George E., U. S. navy, enl Aug. 19, '96; acting appointment as writer, second class, Aug. 29; acting appointment as yeoman, first class, Oct. 1; acting appointment as chief yeoman Dec. 28; chief yeoman Sept. 10, '98; discharged Aug. 18, '99; re-enlisted Aug. 19, '99.
- Porter, James O., U. S. Monitor Catskill, lieut. May 14, '98; discharged Dec. 1, '98.
- Punchard, J. Frank, Co. C, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Ralph, George F., Troop E, Fifth U. S. cavalry, enl March 6,'99. Ramsdell, Peter F., Co. B, Eighth, enl July 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Redmond, Barney, Co. E, 12th U. S. infantry, enl March 11, '92; discharged Jan. 10, '95; re-enlisted Sept. 3, '95; wounded at Santiago, Cuba, July 1–3, '98, "perforating gunshot wound, left arm, with fractured humerus"; discharged Sept. 8, '98; re-enlisted Sept. 9, '98.
- Reeves, John, Co. M, Seventh U. S. infantry, enl June 11,'98; discharged Feb. 19,'99; re-enlisted Feb. 20; deserted Mar. 17,'99.
- Reynolds, Thomas, Co. I, 21st U. S. infantry, enl June 7, '81; discharged as corporal June 6, '86; re-enlisted June 7, '86; transferred to Co. A, 21st U. S. infantry, Jan. 2, '91; discharged June 6, '91; re-enlisted in Co. D, Fifth U. S. infantry, July 6, '91; discharged July 5, '96; re-enlisted in Co. D, 21st U. S. infantry, July 29, '96; discharged as first sergt. July 28, '99; re-enlisted in Co. B, Seventh U. S. infantry, Oct. 27, '99.
- Richardson, Clifton P., Co. B, First California infantry, enl April 27, '98; must out as corp. Sept. 21, '99.
- Richardson, Herbert R., U. S. Marine corps, enl April 1,'98; died at Brooklyn Naval hospital, Brooklyn, N.Y., Feb. 5, '99.

- Richardson, Leonard J., Co. B, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Riley, John P., U. S. S. Nashville, enl June 30, '97; discharged Jan. 30, '99; received medal of special design from navy department with the following inscription engraved upon it: "For heroism and gallantry under fire of enemy, cutting cables, Cienfuegos, Cuba, May 11, 1898."
- Ring, George, U. S. Iowa, enl March 27, '98; discharged March 28, 1901.
- Rittenhouse, Ralph W. E., Battery K, First Mass. Heavy artillery, enl May 9, '98; must out Nov. 14, '98.
- Robblee, Minot P., Co. K, Eighth, enl sergt. April 28 to Dec. 26, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Roberts, James H., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Roberts, Walter W., Engineer battalion, U. S. A., enl second class private Feb. 23, '97; first class private Sept., '97; corp. April 27, '98; sergt. March 21, '99; discharged Feb. 23, 1900.
- Roche, John H., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Russell, Norman F., Co. E, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; transferred to Hospital corps, U. S. A., Aug. 9; transferred back to Co. E, Eighth, Feb. 9, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Ryan, Thomas P., Co. C, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; corp. Aug. 1; must out April 28, '99.
- Sanders, Arthur L., Co. B, Eighth, enl July 8, '98; corp. Dec. 26; must out April 28, '99; died at Las Crucers, New Mexico, April 9, 1901.
- Sanders, Wellman H., Troop B, First U. S. V. cavalry (Roosevelt's Rough Riders), enl May 4, '98; died near Siboney, Cuba, Aug. 12, '98.
- Saul, John H., Co. K, Eighth, enl July 5, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Scott, Albert J., Co. K, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; corp. Jan. 1, '99; must out April 28, '99.
- Scott, John G., Co. L, Eighth, enl July 6, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Segel, Isaac, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 17, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Shallow, Patrick, Co. K, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Sheen, Wallace W., Co. D, First Maine infantry, enl first sergt. May 13, '98; must out Oct. 20, '98.
- Shields, John J., Co. A, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; deserted Sept. 16, '98.
- Smith, John J., U. S. Marine corps, enl April 25, '98.

- Smith, William F., Co. A, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Spalding, Frank A., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 20, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Stanley, Arthur, Co. E, Eighth, enl June 16, '98; discharged March 21, '99.
- Stickney, Horace I., Co. D, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Stickney, Joseph F., Co. F, Eighth U. S. infantry, enl June 6,'91; discharged June 5, '96; re-enlisted in Co. C, Ninth U. S. infantry, Aug. 26, '96; discharged Aug. 25, '99.
- Strafford, Thomas F., Co. F, Eighth, enl April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Sweeney, Michael, Co. C, Eighth, enl June 24, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Sweeney, Thomas, Co. B, Eighth, enl June 30, '98; died at James Blair Gibbs General hospital, Lexington, Ky., Oct. 20, '98.
- Sweetman, William D., Co. E, Eighth, enl musician April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Thomas, Leon P., Co. I, Eighth, enl corp. April 28, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Tymon, John L., Co. A, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Upton, John M., Co. A, Eighth, enl July 2, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Waggott, William O., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 23, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Walker, Joseph E., U. S. Navy, enl May, '89; transferred to U. S. S. Chicago Jan., '99.
- Walker, Joseph E., U. S. navy, enl March 28, '98.
- Walsh, John R., Co. E, First Mass. Heavy artillery, enl May 9, '98; must out Nov. 14, '98.
- Welch, John, Co. L, Eighth, enl July 6, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Wheeler, Frank B., Co. E, Eighth, enl June 14, '98; must out April 28, '99.
- Wholley, John H., cadet U. S. Military academy June 15, '84; second lieut. 24th U. S. infantry June 12, '89; first lieut. Seventh U. S. infantry, Dec. 22, '96; transferred to 24th U. S. infantry March 29, '97; capt. Second U. S. infantry Nov. 20, '99; colonel (volunteer service) First Washington infantry May 13, '98; discharged Nov. 1, '99; major 41st U. S. V. infantry Aug. 17, '99.
- Willestom, George, Co. M, Seventh U. S. infantry, enl June 11, '98; dishonorable discharge March 10, '99.







